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Local Matters.

The Mercury Atlas.

One of the most useful books pub lished this year is the

Mercury Handy Atlas.

It is peculiarly useful at this time when the great war in Europe is going on. It shows all the countries now ongaged in this great conflict, the size and location of all the principal towns and cities of the Old World, as well as the location and population of all the towns and cities in the United States. It contains now maps of each State and Territory in the United States and of every country in the world. It also has a large full sheet map; of Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut. The size of this map is 20x34 inches, and is beautifully colored. This useful Atlas retails for one dollar, but is given by the MERCURY OFFICE absolutely free to every new subscriber to the MERCURY for one year, and to every old subscriber paying one year subscription in advance. Now is the time to get a valuable book for nothing.

Thanksgiving Day.

Thursday was a beautiful day for Thanksgiving. The weather was warm and clear, a decided contrast to the cold days that had preceded it. In consequence there were many people out of doors at all times during the day. There were several football games during the day and all were largely attended, the spectators suffering none of the inconvenience which sometimes mars Thanksgiving Day games.

The services at the churches were well attended. Twelve Protestant-churches held a union service at the First Presbyterian Church, all the dergymen participating in the service. e sermon was delivered by Rev. W. I. Ward, pastor of the First Methodist Church. There was a large attendance at Trinity Church also, where Father Officer, of the Holy Cross Mission, was

the preacher. The big feature of the day for the news boys and messenger boys, and for some others who could not be placed in either class, was the annual turkey dinner provided by Mrs. Frederick W. Vanderbilt at Masonic Hall. Mrs. Vanderbiit was present in person and moved about the room speaking an encouraging word here and there, and extending a velcome to all. The dinner was excellent and was well served, being under the charge of Whensoever Circle of Zing's Daughters, a large number of members being on band to see that all the mys had all they wanted to eat, The arrangements were well planned and carried out, and everything went 京 sithout a hitch

The old frigate Constellation which was loaned to Baltimore for the celebracion of the centennial of the Star Spangled Banner, is on her way back to Resport, in spite of the efforts that Tate made by the people of the section * be South of us to keep her down tera. Mr. Horatio B. Wood has tarted a movement to welcome her with to Newport, and this should meet 7th general approval. The Constellatien is one of the few links that conlett the new navy with the old. She is thistoric old fighting craft, that would water much attention among stranthey had an opportunity to about her and to go aboard, and ery string that the people of it should show some expression appreciation at her return to

The City Election.

Next Tuesday, December 1st, will be the date of the city election, and the friends of all the candidates (and they are legion) are hustling to get out a vote for them. The principal interest of course centers in the contest for the Mayorality, and the friends of both Mayor Boylo and Postmaster Burlingaine are putting in some strenuous work for them. Headquarters have been opened for both sides (the writer nearly said for Ropublicans and Democrate, but luckly remembered in time the severe penalties prescribed for such a heinous crime as mentioning a political party in connection with city affaire.)

On Friday evening of last week, a number of friends of Postmaster Burlingame met in Builders and Merchants Hall, and forined a permanent organ-Ization, known as the Burlingsine Coinpaign Association, for the purpose of actively working for his election as Mayor. The officers chosen are as follows:

follows:
Châirman - William R. Harvey,
Secretary - Edward A. Sherman.
Treasurer - Clark Burdick.
Executive - Committee - Ward 1,
George W. Bacheller, Jr., William J.
Carr, William F. Tripp; Ward 2, William MacLeod, Benjamin F. Downing,
2d., M. Alonzo Van Herno; Ward 3, J.
W. Horton, Max Levy, George W.
Buckhout; Ward 4, John T. Allan, Fred
Watson, Karl Bostel; Ward 5, George
H. Wilmarth, Charles Ewart, John Mahan

Mr. William R. Harvey presided at the meeting, and explained the purpose and the opportunity that was open to elect their roan for Mayor. Addresses were also made by Mr. Burlingame, Senutor elect Clark Burdick; Representative Max Levy and others. Much enthusiasm was exhibited, and those present evinced a willingness to get out and hustle for the nominee.

ficadquarters have since been so cured in the Daily News building, and the rooms are kept open day and night for the dissemination of advice and ar guments for the cause.

The supporters of Mayor Royle have secured permanent headquarters in the Realty building, and had an open meeting there on Tuesday evening. Informaladdresses were made by a number of party leaders and plans were formulated for the campaign, not only for Mayor Boyle but for all their candidates right through the list.

There is also much interest in the contest for aldermonic places. Alderman Kirby of the second ward held a dinner at his home on Tuesday and delivered a formal speech to those present, declaring that he was the target for the Newport Beach Association, and challenging them to defeat him. His opponent, Mr. S. S. Thompson, is doing much quiet work, and his friends are confident of his election. The windows along the streets are well filled with portraits of the aklermanic candidates and some circulars are being

A number of the council candidates are also doing considerable work in their own interests. For school committee there does not seem to be so much activity, but it is probable that the people have their minds pretty well made up as to whom they want.

Perhaps the fire department re-organization occasions as much interest as any one item of the coming election. that the people will approve it, while those who regard it as too radical are doing much quiet work among their friends in attempt to show up the weak spots. It is probable that there will be a kig vote on this proposition.

The hearing on the Newport water question has been held before the State public utilities commission in Providence this week. An effort is being made to secure the installing of water metera throughout the city, and a reduction of rates. A physical valuation of the property of the Newport Water Works was made by Samuel W. Gray, consulting engineer, his estimate of the value of the property being considerably less than that of the company.

Rural free delivery will be re-established at Jamestown on December 1st, as an all-the-year route. Senator Alton Head brought the matter to the attention of Senator Colt, and it was due to the efforts of these two gentlemen that the town is to have this modern system of mail delivery throughout the year.

High Sheriff James Anthony is able to be at his office in the old Court House daily, after his recent serious operation. Mr. Anthony made a quick recovery, and his friends are rejoicing to see him looking so well.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Laurecs Van Alen will probably keep "Wakeburst" open through the winter, making occasiona visits to New York and other places.

Dr. Rufus E. Darrah, of this city, has been appointed a member of the board of visitors to the Rhode Island State College.

Newport Historical Society.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Newport Historical Society was held at the Roomson Toure Street, Monday evening, Rev. Dr. Roderick Terry, first Vice President, in the Chair, large number of members and their friends attended to listen to the reports of the Society and the admirable address of Hon. Max Levy. The librarian reported upon the work

of the office since the last meeting, in August, stating that 169 letters requesting information had been received and answored, and 600 visitors had been assisted in the search for various kinds of knowledge concorning local history or genealogy. Many interesting rolles have been added to the Museum, and many books and pamphlets to the library. A valuable collection of books newspapers and manuscripts belonging to the late Mr. Benjamin B. Howland, first librarian of the Society, has just been presented by his grand-daughter, Miss Elizaboth G. Sherman. Some Newport imprints, a paper signed by John Clarke, and Mr. Howland's own items of interest, including the manuscript of papers read by him before this and other societies, are particularly valuable to our members. Two papers show that in 1820, two years before the organization of the Rhode Island Historical Society and the establishment of the Southern Cablnet in Newport, a society was formed, for the purpose of collecting and preserving historical material; to to known as the "Newport Historical and Antiquarian Boolety."

A vote of thanks was given to Miss Sherman for her generous gift.

Four new members were elected: Mr. Thomas Sargent Perry, of Boston, grandson of Com. Oliver Hazard Perry, Mr. Clarence Wanton Baylis, of Philadelphia, a descendant of the old Wanton family of Newport: Mrs. Frank J. Sprague of New York, and Senator John M. Whitehead of Wisconsin.

At the close of the business meeting, Dr. Terry introduced Hon. Max Levy, who spoke of the Early Hebrews in Newport, tracing their history from their expulsion from Spain to the time of their coming to Rhode Island. Mr. Levy mentioned the various, Jews , who did so much to add to the material wealth and culture of Newport, Moses Seixas, who established the Bank of Ithode Island, now the Newport Trust Co., Jacob Red, Riviera, Aaron Lopez, and the Touros, through whose munificence the Synagogue is now supported, and whose bequests, entirely nonzectarian, benefited Churches, hospitals and all kinds of institutions in many cities.

There were several Jewish relics on exhibition, belonging to the Society, a miniature of Abraham Touro, and a portrait of Judah Touro; a phylactery papers and letter books of Aaron Lopez, and other interesting items.

After the meeting, the members ad journed to the Synegogue next door, where Mr. Levy, assisted by Mr. Adolph Kosch, exhibited the beautiful emblems, the scrolls, etc.

Wedding Bells.

French-Beeckman.

Mr. Amos Tuck French, well known in Newport, was united in marriage at Goshen, N. Y., on Tuesday to Miss Martha C. Beeckman, a sister of Hon. R. Livingston Beeckman of this city. Governor-elect of Rhode Island, The marriage came somewhat as a surprise to all but the immediate families of the two parties. The ceremony was performed at the home of a sister of the bride, Mrs. Campbell Stoward. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Beeckman, and Mrs. French Vanderbilt of this city, the last being a sister of the groom. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. C. Coddington of the Methodist Church of Goshen.

Mr. French married for his first wife Miss Pauline Leroy, daughter of Mrs. Stuyvesant Leroy of this city, with whom she makes her home. She secured a discree from Mr. French, the final decree being ordered at the last March session of the Superior Court. There are two daughters, Mrs. Samuel J. Wegstaff and Mrs. John E. P. Geraghty. and three sons, Francis O., Stuyvesant Leroy, and Edward Tuck French.

Bliss Helen A. Peabody, daughter of the late Dr. George L. Peabody, closed her home on Narragansett avenue this week and left for New York. Dr. Peabody bought the Newport residence as a winter home, spending his summers in Quebec.

Hon. George Peabody Wetmore and family have closed their Newport residence and gone to New York for the

Mr. George C. Lawton, who has been quite ill, is reported as showing improvement. Mrs. Mary E. Luther has returned

from a visit to Boston. Captain William Champion has been seriously ill.

Recent Deaths.

Mrs. Frank W. Andrews, for many years a summer resident of Nowport, died at the Hotel Vendeme in Boston

Mrs, Frank W. Andrews,

last Sunday as the result of a fall in the hotel a few days before when she sustained a broken hip.. She had reached the advanced ago of eighty-flye years, and it was realized from the first that her recovery was doubtful,

Mrs. Andrews had a wide circle of acquaintances in Newport, Boston and Washington. She was a daughter of the late Paul Adams of Boston, and the widow of Frank W. Andrews, who died a number of years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Andrews first spent their summers in Newport while they were yet a young couple, and some thirty-five years ago built an attractive residence overlooking Coddington's Point which has been occupied practically every summer. Of late Mrs. Andrews had spent most of her winters in Washington, although she sometimes stayed for a while in Boston. She had left Newport only a few days before her death, intending to remain in Boston for a couple of weeks before proceeding to Washington for the winter,

Mrs. Androws is survived by two sons, Mesars, Paul A. Androws and Walter S. Andrews, both residents of Newport

Rev. J. Sturgis Pearco.

Rov. J. Sturgls Pearce, a retired Episcopal clergyman, died at his home on Kay street on Monday, in his eighticth year. He had not been in the best of health for some time and the death of his wife, which occurred some two months previous, had been a shock from which he never recovered,

Rev. Mr. Pearce was born in Providence in 1835 and early devoted his study for the Episcopal ministry. He held a number of important postorates in various places before coming to St. Roul's Church, Portsmouth, where he was rector for more than twenty-five years. He was well known out on the Island as well as in the city, and was universally esteemed.

Ho is survived by two sons and a daughter, Mr. Berkeley Pearce, a lawyer of Claveland, Ohio; Rev. Reginald Pearco of Framingham, Mass.; and Miss Edith Fearce, who made her home with her father.

George Bowen Smith.

Mr. George Bowen Smith died at his home in New York Saturday morning, Nov. 21st. He was a grandson of the late George Bowen of this city, and the senior member of the firm of the Heirs of George Bowen. He was fond of Newport, and came here when he reasonably could: but his active attention was given in the service of the Chemical National Bank of New York in which he had employment in a responable position for more than forty years. Of modest disposition he was held in high esteem for the qualities which make up trustworthings.

Superior Court.

The December session of the Superior Court for Newport County will open in this city on Monday, December 7. It is expected that the term will be quite a busy one, although possibly not as long assome of its predecessors. Of late most of the sessions have run over the three weeks that they are supposed to last, with the result that the Court is in session here n large part of the time.

Jurors have been notified to be on hand for duty from the city of Newport as follows:

port as follows:

Grand-James E. McGowan, blacksmith; Eugene C. Sullivan, laborer;
Charles McK. Jackson, clerk; Timothy
F. Sullivan, clork; Anthony E. Buckley, laborer; Balton E. Young, grocer;
Charles W. Richardson, foreman; Willlam S. Fillebrown, clerk; Charles F.
Langley, clerk; Jereminh P. Sullivan,
contractor; Florence C. Sullivan, laborer; William H. Horgan, clerk;
Philip A. Sweet, driver.

Petit Jurors-George F. Horrocks,
clerk; Wallace C. Martland, 2d., tinsmith; George A; Martin, clerk; Ernest
Howe; William F. Kelly, conductor;
Lampros Brown, dealer; Frank J.
Brady, clerk; Patrick J. Sheehan, carpenter; Carl A. Hilcken, bookbinder;
Jeremiah D. Coffey, clerk; Thomas
Hall, bollermaker; Clarence H. Wrightington, real cestate; Michael Harrington, laborer; James J. O'Brien, laborer; Caleb Morris, laborer; Patrick
J. Murphy, plumber; Allan L. Friend,
mason; Harry Williams, boatbuilder;
William Koschny, clerk; Richard H.
Brown, clerk; David Weiner, clgars;
Antonio S. Wnite, driver. Brown, clerk; David Wei Antonio S. White, driver.

Considerable interest is exhibited in the appointment of a barbor commissioner, which will be made the first of the year. Inszinuch as this is, practically the only office that the Governor can fill without the advice and consent of the Senate being required, efforts are being made to reach the car of Governor-elect R. Livingston Beeckman. It is understood that there are two candidates from Newport for this position, and it is likely that the appointment will go to one of them.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Bostel are visiting in New York.

John B. Sullivan for Postmaster,

There seems no doubt but that the next Postmaster of Newport will be Representative John B. Sullivan, who has been recommended for the appointment by Congressman O'Shaunessy. Ills nomination will probably be sent to the Senate by President Wilson in a few days, and undoubtedly will be promptly confirmed. The appointment at this time is made possible by the resignation of Postmaster Burlingame, on account of his candidacy for Mayor of Newport.

Mr. Sullivan is well known throughout the city. He first came into general prominence as an active member of the representative council in which he has served since that body was established under the new charter in 1906. He quickly developed into a floor leader and was prepared to enter into a discussion of any topic before the council. He was elected to represent the fifth district of Nowport in the General Assembly in 1010, being sworn into office the following January. He quickly made his personality felt at the State House, and for the past two years has been the assistant to the floor leader of the minerity party in the House. He would probably have been the party nomines for Speaker at the coming orconization of the Legislature in January. He has taken an active part in Democratic councils, being at present chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee. Ho Is an active memher of Newport Council, Knights of Columbus, and has sorved at the head of that organization. He is at present the gardener on the catate of Mr. and

Mrs. Charles F. Hoffman. If Mr. Sullivan is made Postmuster, the acceptance of a federal office will arbitrarily erento a vacancy in the General Assembly. Therefore a new election will be necessary in the afth district. The matter of time for holding the election is at the discretion of the board of aldermen, when the Legis lature is not in session. If the vacancy should occur while the Legislature is in session, the law provides that the city clerk shall issue his warrant for a special election to be held within thirty days after the vacancy cocurs.

Talk on Fire Prevention.

Mr. Franklin H. Wentworth, secretary of the National Association, of Societies for Fire Provention, delivered an interesting address under the auspices of the Board of Trade at Bullders & Merchants Hall on Monday evening. There was a good attendance and much interest in the subject was evinced. President Titus of the Board of Trade presided and introduced the speaker.

The early part of the address dealt largely with topics of national interest, showing the great fire loss in this coun try as compared with that of other countries. Specific dangers were pointed out and the dangerous conditions of the skyscrupers of New York city were shown, as the people of all parts of the country have to bear their share of the loss in every fire. The dangerous wooden thingles were condemned by the speaker, and he advocated the use of metal sills and wire glass for all windows of so-called fire proof construction.

He believed that Newport presented adoption of the report of the fire department committee would go far to Improve conditions here. Later Chief Kirwin took exception to the characterization of the steam fire engines in use here as "tin kettles" and quite a spirited discussion ensued. Mr. Kirwin heliaved that not a cent would be saved in insurance rates if thecity went to the expense of \$60,000 for new equipment as recommended. Other questions were propounded by other members of the nudience, to which the speaker eplied.

At the weekly meeting of the board of aldermen on Wednesday evening, the plans for the new schoolhouse on Mary street were formally adopted. and it was voted to refer them to the school committee for their approval. It is expected that at the monthly meating of the aldermen next Tuesday evening, bids will be saked for the construction of the building.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore M. Davis are on their way to Florida to apend the winter. They will not go to Egypt this year, where Mr. Davis has in years past advanced the knowledge of Egyptology by his successful explorations.

Mr. John G. Costello, who is seriously ill at the Newport Hospital, remains about the same. His condition shows no improvement.

Mr. Furber l. Marshall of this city has been elected president of the freshman class at the University of Fennsyl vania.

Thanksgiving Weddings.

There were many weddings in New-. port on Thanksgiving Day, Mr. Charles. If. Ritt, Jr., chief yeoman at the Training Station, was united in marringe to Miss Emelino Isabel Vars, daughter of Mrs. William M. Vars, the ceremony being performed by Rev. William Safford Jones in the parsonage of the Channing Memorial Church. A reception followed at the home of the bride's mother. Mr. and Mrs. Ritt will make their home on Bay View. ачелие.

Miss Julia Dorothy Coen was married to Mr. David P. Burko in St. Josoph's Church, in the presence of a large gathering of friends. A weddingbreakfast was served at the Hotel-Aquidneck and in the evening, when the young couple laft on the New York boat there was a brass band at the landing to give them a send-off. They, will reside on Bliss road.

Miss Grace A. O'Connell and Mr. P. Henry J. Leeson were united in marringe at the rectory of St. Joseph's. Church Thanksgiving evening, and are now spending their honoymoon in the Mountains. They will make their home. on Channing street.

Miss Mary Noonan and Mr. Daniel G. LaRock were married at St. Augustin's Church in the marning, and left on the Fall River Line boot that evening for New York where they will spend their: honeymoon.

> MIDDLETOWN. [From our regular Correspondent] .

Mrs. Harold R. Chase presented as: the subject for the meeting of the Oliphant Club last week, "The Montessori Melhod." There was no meeting this week of the Oliphant Club and the Paradise Club owing to the holiday season. A box of vegetables, fruit, &c., was left at the Churity Organization Rooms early in the week for the Thankegiving of a needy family in whem the Paradise Club is at present superially interested. Club is at present especially interested ..

The Epworth Lengue held a Thanks-The Epworth Lengue held a Thanksgiving cottage survice, Inst week at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. James II. Barker,
Mrs. Barker conducting the topic, "A
Song of Thanksgiving." Interesting reports were given by Rev. E. E. Welks
and Mr. Barker of the Methodist Men's
Mass meeting held the previous week in
Beston. Wm. L. Brown, president of:
the League, will conduct line subject,
"Builders of Methodism: William Taylor, Pathfinder on Three Continents,"
at the M. E. Church on Friday ovening.
"Worthy State Mester League A. Pack-

Worthy State Moster Josoph A. Peck-ham, and Messes. Wan, S. Slocum and Walter Sherman roturned Saturday from Wilmington, Delaware, where they attended the sessions of the Na-tional Grange. 700 candidates received the 7th degree. 29 states were repre-sented.

Mr. Henry Kesson, of Newport, is, building an attractive bungalow at the northern end of the Boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Peckham, have closed their humo here for the winter. They left Tuesday evening for the South where they have a bungalow and a large orange grove at Eustis.

The morning service at St Columba's Clinpel was devoted especially to the subject of Thanksgiving. In the evening Mr. Griswold continued the illustrated lectures at the Berkeley Purish. House, subject, "The Temple as Jesus. Saw It." St. Columba's Guild will, hold its annual sale on Saturday, Dec. 5.

For the two days' Christmas sale of Hely Cross Guild at their Guild Housenext week a chowder supper will be given the first night, Wednesday, and lee cream and cake will be on sale. Thursday.

A morning service at Thanksgiving Day at the Berkeley. Chapel.

A morning service at 10:30 was held Thanksgiving Day at the Berkeley Chapel.

Owing to the fact that the regular-meeting of Anukineck Grange fell on Thanksgiving Day, the Grange met on Monday ovening at the town hall, with a large attendance, armong the gathering was Worthy State Master Joseph A. Peckham, Worthy State Master Joseph A. Peckham, Worthy Master Raiph II. Brownell, of Little Compton Grange, and many officials from the local Granges of the county. A pleasing ienovation was the presence of the Indies' degree team of Little Compton, their first appearance on the Island, who conferred the 3d degree upon a class of six candidates. Cladentiely in white, with light draperies at the shoulder, they made a most attractive feature of the evening. The fine marching and their graceful execution of the Grange symbols in groups was frequently applicated, and was later publicly commended by the Grange officials. The degree was also effectively done and received unstinted praise, Mrs. G. Harlan Simmons acted as Master. The 4th degree was given by the regular officers and the Grange outarted a rendered the degree music. During the Lecturer's hour, Mr. Fred P. Webber gave "A Thanksgiving Dream," and was obliged to answer to two encores so combinuous was the applause. Miss Agnes Murphy gave a humorous number, and the chaplain, Rev. E. E. Wells gave a collection of anedotes under the head of "Stories at Home." Mr. Philp Caswell spoke upon the foot and mouth disease and urged greater precaution to provent its spread, A set of resolutions was rend and enforsed by the Grange and these were taken to Providence where he and others attended the hearing at the State House. Worthy State Master Peckham spoke briefly upon the decisive measures taken by the Grange and these were taken to the governor of Delaware (while he was at the National Grange) to stamp out the disease. He heartily endorsed all that Mr. Caswell said. At 11 o'clock a long table was brought in and ice-cream, cake, offee and a variety of fuil the secondary.

The St. Monica Society of St. Many's Church held a successful social, "Art Exhibit," and dance at Holy Cross Guild House Tuesday evening, which was conducted by their president, Mrs. O. F. Wilcox, of Newport.

CHAPTER XV.

in Feller's Place.

What am I? What have I done? What am I about to do? shot as forked shadows over the hot lava-flow of Marta's impulse. The vitality that Westerling had felt by suggestion from a still profile rejoiced in a quickening of pace directly she was out of sight of the verneds. All the thinking she had done that afternoon had been in pictures; some saying, some cry, some, green, or some smile went with every

The eltting-room of the tower was empty to other eyes but not to hers. The lantern was in the corner at hand. After her hastening steps had carried her along the tunnel to the telephone. she sat down the lantern and pressed the spring that opened the panel door. Another moment and she would be embarked on her great adventure in the duality of action. That little ear piece became a specter of conscience. Sho drow back convulsively and her hands flew to her tace; she was a rocking shadow in the thin, reddish light of the lantera.

Conscious mind had torn off the mask from subconscious mind, rev ing the true nature of the change that war had wrought in her. She who had resented Feller's part-what a part she had been playing! Every word, every shade of expression, every tell-ing pause of abstraction after Westerling confessed that he had made war for his own ends had been subtly prompted by a purpose whose actuality terrifled her.

Her hypocrisy, she realized, was as black as the wall of darkness belond the lantern's gleam. Then this demor-alization passed, as a nightmare passes, with Westerling's boast again in her ears.

When war's principles, enacted by men, were based on sinister trickery called strategy and tactics, should not women, using such weapons as they had, also fight for their homes? Marta's hands swept down from her eyes; she was on fire with resolution.

(Forly miles away a bell in Lan-istron's bedroom and at his desk rang simultaneously. At the time he and Pation were seated facing each other keroes a map on the table of the room where they worked together. No per-euasion of the young rice-chief, no edict of the doctors, could make the old chief take exercise or shorten his

"I know. I know myself!" he said. I know my duty. And you are learning, my boy, learning!"
Every day the flabby checks grew

rastier and the pouches under the evebriws heavier. But there was no Minming of the earle flaches of the eyes, no weakening of the will. Last hight Lanstron had turned as white chalk when Partow staggered on rising from the table, the veins on his temples knotted blue whip-cords. Yet after a few hours' sleep he reappeared with firm step, fresh for the fray.
The paraphernalia around these two
was the same as that around Wester

ling. Only the atmosphere of the staff was different. Each man was performing the part set for him. No man knew much of any other man's part. Partow slone knew all, and Lanstron was tiring to greep all and praying that Par-tow's old body should etill feed his nind with energy. Lanstron was thinner and reder, a new and slittering intensity in his eyes.

When word of Feller's detection ame, Lanstron realized for the first time by Partow's manner that the old chief of staff, with all his deprecation of the telephone scheme as chimerical, had grounded a hope on it.
"There was the chance that we

might know-so rital to what they were going to do before and not after the attack," he said.

Yet the story of how Feller yielded to the temptation of the automatic had made the nostrils of the old war-horse quiver with a dramatic breath, and instead of the command of a battery of the chief made it a battalion. He had drawn down his brows when he heard that Maria had asked that the wire be left intact; he had shot a shrewd, questioning slance at Lanstron and then best a tattoo on the table and half arimned as he grambled under his

She is sirald of being lonesome! No Esrm done!"

A week had passed since the Grays had taken the Galland house, and still no word from Marta. The ring of the bell brought Lenstron to his feet with a startled, boyish bound.

"Very springy, that tendon of Achillesi" muttered Partow. "And, by boy, take care, take care!" he called suddenly in his sonorous voice,

as rast and billowy as his body.
It was Marta's voice and yet not
Marta's, this voice that best in nery.

Marta's, this voice that beat in 2001 waves over the wire.

"Ianny—Yes, I, Ianny! You were right Westerling planned to make war deliberately to satisfy his ambition. He told me so. The first general attack on the first line of defense is tonight. Westerling says so?" She had to pause for breath. "And, Lanny, I want to know some position of the Browns which is weak-not actually weak, maybe, but some position where the Grays expect terrible resistance and will not find it—where you will let

In the name of-Maria! Maria,

"I am going to fight for the Browns

for my home!" in the sheer satisfaction of explain-

sentiments, she sent the pictures which had wrought the change moving across the screen before Lanstren's amazed vision. There was no room for interruption on his part, no question or need of one. The wire seemed to quiver with the militant tension of her spirit. It was Maria affame who was talking at the other end; not adamo for him, but with a purpose that revealed all the latent strength of her personality and daring.

shall have to ask Partow. It's a protty big thing."

Yes—only that is not all my plan, my little plan., After they have taken first line of defense—and they will got it, won't they !"

"Yes, we shall yield in the end, yield rather than suffer too great losses there that will weaken the defense on the main line."

"Then I want to know where it is that you want Westerling to attack on the main line, so that we can get him to attack there. That—that will help, won't it!" "Yes."

proved my levalty and have his complete confidence—and I'll telephone it by the major of the approach from to you. I am sure I can get something the Engadic valley. We yield the adworth while with you to direct me; vance redoubts on either slide."
don't you think so, Lanny? I'll hold "Meanwhile, we have massed h



"I'm Going to Fight For the Browns For My Homes"

Lanny. Ask Partow!" she concluded. Of the two she was the

"Well " sald Parlow, looking up at the sound of Lanstron's step. Then he half raised himself from his chair at sight of a Lanstron with eyes in a date of brilliancy; a Lanstron with right! Ign't it true? Ign't it!"
his maimed hand twitching in an out"Yes, yes, Martal But—!-- If stretched gesture; a Lanstron in the sho were weakening it was not his dilemma of being at the same time lover and chief of intelligence. Should he let her make the sacrifice of everything that he held to be sacred to a woman's delicacy? Should be not return to the telephone and tell her that he would not permit her to play such e part? Partow's voice cut in on his demoralization with the sharpness of a

"Well, what, man, what?" he debe dead. Anything that could upset Lanstron in this fashion struck a chord of sympathy and apprehension.

Lanstron advanced to the table, pressed his bands on the edge, and, now master of himself, began an account of Marti 's offer: Partow's formless arms lay inert on the table, his soft, pudgy fingers outspread on the map and his bulk settled deep in the chair, while his eagle eyes were seeing through Lanstron, through a mountain range, into the eyes of a woman and a general on the verands of au enemy's headquarters. The plan meant giving, giving in the hope of receiving much in return. Would be get the re-

ture ! A woman was the ideal one for the task we intrusted to Feller," he mused, 'a sentlewoman, big enough, adroit enough, with her soul in the work as no paid woman's could bel There even were beginning to matter it in

seemed no such one in the world!" "But to let her do it!" gasped Lan-

"It is her suggestion, not yours! She offers herself! She wants no per-suation!" Partow asked sharply.

"Entirely her suggestion," said Lanstron. "She offers herself for her country-for the cause for which our soldlers will give their lives by the

thousands. It is a time of sacrifice."

Partow raised his arms. They were not formless as he brought them down

with sledge-hammer force to the table. "Your tendon of Achilles? My boy, the is your swordarm!" foreinger ran along the line of frontier under his eye with little staccato leaps. "Eh!" he chuckled significantly, finger poised.

"Let them up the Bordir road and on to redoubts 35 and 37, you mean?"

the Bordir road is ner bate to: Parlow waved his hand as if the affair were settled.

"But," Interjected Laustron, have also to decide on the point of the main defense which she is to make Westerling think is weak."
"Im-mi" grumbled Partow, "That is not necessary to start with. We can

give that to her later over the telephone, can't wo, eht". "She asked for it now."

"Why?" demanded Partow with one of his shrowd, ploreing looks;

"She did not say, but I can guesa," explained Lanstron. "She must put all her cards on the table; she must tell Westerling all she knows at once. If she tells him piecemeal it might lead to the supposition that she still had some means of communication with

"Of course, of coursel" Partow spatted the fist of his hand resoundingly on the map. "As I decided the first time I mot hor, she has a head, and when a woman has a head for that sort of thing there is no beating her. "Yes." he was looking siraight into
"Of course, all the while I shall be Lanstron's eyes, "Well, I think we
getting news from bim—when I have I know the point where we could draw

"Meanwhile, we have massed heavily behind the redoubt. We retake the advance redoubts in a counter-stipck and Partow brought his fist into his paint with a smack.
"Yes, if we could do that! If we

could get them to expend their attack herel" put in Laustron very excitedly for him.

We must! She shall help!" Partow was on his feet. He had reached across the table and solved Lanston's shoulders in a powerful if flesh-padded grip. Then he turned Lanstron around toward the door of his bedroom and gave him a mighty sinp of affection. My boy, the brightest hope of victors we have is helding the wire for you. Tall her that a bearded old behemoth, who can kneed as gracefully as a rheumatic rhinoceros, is on both knees at her feet, kissing her hands and trying his best, in the name of and trying his pest, in the hame of mercy, to keep from breaking lateverse of his own composition."

Back at the telephone, Lanstron, in the ferror of the cheer and the enthu-

slasm that had transported his chief,

garo Maria Parlow's message. "You, Maria, are our brightest hope

of victory?"
"Yes?" the monosyllable was detached, dismal, labored. "A woman can be that?" she exclaimed in an uncertain tone, which grew into the distraction of clipped words and broken sentences. "A woman playacting—a woman acting the most revolting hypocrisy-influences the issue between two national . Her deceit deals in the lives of sons precious to fathers and mothers, the inte of frontiers, of insti-tutional Think of it! Think of machines costing countless millions-machines of flesh and blood, with their destinles shaped by one little bit of lying information! Think of the folly of any civilization that stakes its triumpha on such a gamble! Am I not

place to try to strengthen her purposes.
"It will the sconer end fighting, won't it, Lanny?" she asked in a small tense voice.

"Yes." "And the only real end that means real peace is to prove that the weak can hold back the strong from their threshold?"

"Yes."
Even now Westerling might be on the veranda, perhaps waiting for naws that would enable him to weak; to prove that the law of five pounds of human flesh against three, and five bayonets against three, is the law of civilization.
"Yes, yes, yes!" The constriction

was gone from her threat; there was a drum-beat in her soul. "Depend on me, Lanny!" It was Feller's favorite phrase spoken by the one who wes to take his place. "Yes, I'm ready to make any sacrifice new. For what am If What is one woman compared to such a purpose? I don't care what is said of me or what becomes of me if

we can win! Good by Lanny, till I call you up again! And God with us!" "God with us!" as Partow had said, over and over. The asying had come to be repeated by hard-headed, agnos-tic staff-officers, who believed that the delty had he relation to the efficiency of gundre. The Brown intantrined

the midst of action. Waiting on the path of the second terrace for Westerling to come, blarts realized the full meaning of her task. Day in and day out she was to have suspense at her elbow and the horror of hypocriar on her conscience, the while keeping her wits nicely bai-anced. When she saw Westerling appear on the veranda and start over the lawn she felt disay and uncertain of

her capabilities. "I have considered all that you have said for my guidance and I have de-

cided," she began. She beard her own voice with the relief of a singer in a debut who, with knees shaking, finds that her notes are true. She was looking directly at Westerling in profound seriousness. Though knees shook, lips and chin could aid eyes in revesting the painful fatigue of a battle that had raged "You have it! The position looks in the mind of a woman who went important, but so well do we command it that it is not really vital. Yes, herself.

I have concluded," "that it is an occasion for the sac-rifice of private ethics to a great purnose, the secondr to end the slaugh-

VAIL trucks whispered an inner He tone was Lanay's, in the old days of their comradeship. It gave

old drys of the commences of gave her strength. All true! "Yes, an end—a speedy end!" said Westerling with a fine, infloxible em-phasis. "That is your prayer and mine and the prayer of all lovers of humanity."

"It is little that I know, but such bumanity." conscious of his guarded scruting. When she told him of Bordir, the weak point in the first line of the Browns' defense, she noted no chanke in his steady look; but with the nien tion of Engadir in the main line she dotected a gleam in his oyes that had the merciless delight of a culting edge of steel. "I have made my sacrifice to some purpose?' The infor-mation is worth something to you?" she asked wistfully.

"Yes, yeal Yes, it promises that way." he replied thoughtfully.

Quietly he began a considerate catestanding that her answers lacked the bonvincing details that he sought. the longed to avert her eyes from his for an instant, but she know that this hould be fainl. She felt the force of him directed in professional channels, of all personal relations, beating as a strong light on her bare statements. How could a woman over bave learned two such vital accreta? How could it happon that two such critical points as Bordir and Engadir should go undefended? No tactician, no ongineer but would have realized their strategic importance. Did sho know, what she was saying? How did she get her knowledger. These, she understood, were the real questions that underlay Westerling's polite indirection. "But I have not told you the sources

of my information! Isn't that like a woman!" she exclaimed. "You see, it did not concern me at all at the time I heard it. I didn't even realize importance and I didn't hear much," she proceeded, hur introduction giving time for improvization. You see, Partow was inspecting the promises with Colonel Lanstron. My prother had known Partow in her younger days when my grandlather was premier. We had them both to luncheon."
"Yes?" put in Westerling, beirnying

his engerness. Perlow and Lanstroni Then her source was one of authority,

not the goast of subalternal
"And it occurs to me now that, even
while he was our guest," she interjected in sudden indignation-"that even while he was our guest Partow was planning to make our grounds a redoub!!" 'After luncheon I remember Partow

saying, We are going to have a look at the crops," and they went for a walk out to the knell where the fighting began."
"Yes! When was this?" Westerling

asked keenly.
"Only about six weeks ago," answered Marta.

"Later, I come upon them unexpectedly after they had returned," she went on. "They were althing there on that seat concealed by the shrubbery. I was on the terrace steps unobserved and I couldn't help overhearing them. Their voices grew louder with the interest of their discussion. I caugh comething about appropriations and neroplanes and Bordir and Engadir, and saw that Lanstron was pleading



"I'm Going on My Experience as s Soldier."

propriated for fortifications to be appited to building planes and dirigibles. Finally, Parlow consented, and I recall his exact words: "They're shockingly archaically defended, especially Engadir," he said, 'but they can wait until we get forther appropriations in the faill." She was so far under the small of her own investigations. plied to building planes and dirigibles. spell of her own invention that she believed the reality of her words, reflected in her wide-open eyes which

nected in her wide-open eyes which seemed to have nothing to hide.
"That is all," she exclaimed with a shudder—"all my eavesdropping, all my breach of confidence! If—if it—and her voice trembled with the intensity of the one purpose that tensity of the one purpose that was shining with the light of truth through the murk of her deception-"It will only help to end the slaughter!" She held out her hand convulsively in parting as if she would leave the rest

"I think it will," he said soberly. "I think it will prove that you have done a great service," he repeated as he caught both her hands, which were and from her ordeal. His own were

warm with the strong seating of his heart stirred by the promise of what he had just heard. But he did not to be small to his mark as eye to be had not had lost used to his mar as easter. alone. "I think it will. You will know

in the morning," he added. His steps were sturdler than ever in the power of five against three as he started back to the house. When he reached the veranda, Douchard, the saturnine chief of intelligence, ap-peared in the doorway of the diningroom; or, rather, reappeared, for he bnd been standing there throughout the interview of Westerling and Morta. whose heads were just visible, above the terrace wall, to his bawk eyes.

"A little promenade in the open and my mind made up," said Westerling, clapping Bouchard on the shoulder. Something about an attack to night?" asked Bouchard

"You guess right, 'Call the others," Five minutes later he was sented the head of the dining-room table with his chiefs around him waiting for their chairman to speak. He asked some categorical questions almost per functorily, and the answer to each was, "Ready!" with, in some instances, a qualification—the qualification made by regimental and brigade commanders that, though they could take the position in front of them, the cost would be heavy. Yos, all were willing and ready for the first general assault of the war, but they wanted to state the costs as a matter of professional nelf-defense.

Westerling could pose when it served his purpose. Now he rose and, going to one of the wall maps, indi-

caled a point with his forounger. "If we got that we have the most vital position, haven't wol"

Some uttered a word of assent; some only nodded. A glance or two of curiosity was exchanged. Why should the chief of staff ask so ele mentary a question? Westerling was not unconscious of the glauces or of their meaning. They gave dramatic value to his next remark.

"We are going to mass for our main attack in front at Bordle!"

"But," exclaimed four or five offi-cers at once, "that is the beart of the position! That is—" "I believe it is weak—that it will fail, and tonight!"

"You have information, then, information that I have not?" asked Bouchard.

"No more than you," replied Westerng. "Not as much it you have anyling. thing new."

"Nothing!" admitted Bouchard wryly. He lowered his head under Wester-ling's penetrating look in the consciousness of fallura

"I am going on a convictionputting two and two together!" Westerling announced. "Lam going on my experience as a soldior, as a chief of If I am wrong, I take the responsibility. If I am right, Bordir will be ours before morning. It is settled!" "If you are right, then," exclaimed

"well, then it's genius or-He did not unish the schience. had been about to say coincidence; while Westerling knew that if he were right all the rising skeptletsm in cortain quarters, owing to the delay in his program, would be alleaced. His prestige would be unassailable. (To Be Continued.)

Spared Listeners and Himself. For humor, combined with brevity, it would not be easy to rival the reach cleric, who, on the festival of St. James, was called upon to pronounce a panegyric on the saint "My brethren," he said, "twelve months ago I preached a cology on the eminent apostle whose festival you celebrate today. As:I doubt not, you were all very attentive to me, and as I have not learned anything new of him, I have nothing to add to what I said at the time."

Possible of Application. An old woodsman was walking through a forest when he saw a large bear approaching him. Realizing his predicament, he exclaimed:, "Oh Lord. be with mel" Still the bear came on when the man again prayed: "Oh Lord, be on my side." Seeing the bear continue to approach, the woodsman, whipping out his knife, exclaimed: "Oh Lord, if you won't be on my side, just declare neutrality, an' I'll show you the golfdarndest bear fight you ever saw in your life."

The Earth's Shadow. The earth has a shadow, but very fow ever see it, except in eclipses of the moon, or else few recognize it when they see it. Novertheless, many of us have noticed it on fine, cloudless evenings in summer shortly before sunset, a rosy pink are on the horison opposite the sun, with a bluish gray opposite the sun, with a bluish gray segment under it. As the sun sinks the arc rises until it attains the zenith and even passes it. This is the shadow of the earth.

Warth Knowing.
The laurel was much in favor in olden days, as it meant "love triumphs." The Greek bride wore a wreath of myrtle. A bride of today may choose her own flower it she wishes, stamping it with her individuality. Some girls take the flower allotted to the month, especially if the time happens to be June, with its wealth of roses. Widows usually wear violets, either white or purple, or a combination of both.

Always Easy to Get Spies. It is an international law, but an unwritten one, ibat a sovereign cannot lawfully require a subject to serve as a spy, except in a singular case, and that of the last importance. Nevertheless, no country will ever lack spies, for the work that is required of them is so adventurous and so well paid that thousands of men would jump at the opportunity to become a secret service agent.

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Belated Anxiety. Maid (knocking in the morning)-Madame, I've forgotten whether you wanted to be waked at 7 er S. Mad-Mald-What time is it now? Mald-Eight-Lustige Blatter.

Too Painful. "Why did you throw up that job ! Ert you as collector for Jones?" Why, hang it, I owed money to about all the men he sent me to dun." -Boston Transcript.

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CURIOUS WAYS IN JAPAN.

One Thing in Particular That Pained a Visitor From Missouri,

I knew before I got here that Japan was queer, but I find no idea that everything was buckward. I can't get used to slitting on the floor and sleep ing with a tomato can with a napkin around it for a pillow. The easiest way to figure out how the Japanese would do a thing is to think what would be exactly backward in Missourt. When two Japanese meet they bow and bow, giving their heads short jerks as if trying to get sait water out of their eyes. When they separate they tip their hats. When they come into a store they tip their hats. When they buy a ticket they tip their bats. Their elbows are always bent toward their hats.

Japaneso never kiss. This pleasant pastime has not yet been imported into cherry blossom land. It is only recently that a few of the Japanese have learned to shake hands. We travelers are hoping that they will take up other great American institu-Japanese look upon kissing as being low and vulgar, believing that a few moments spent in bowling is much better. The girls feel that way shout

it, too-they sny.
When an ardent young Japaneso sultor slips his arm around the girl's waist and whispers into her shell-like ear that she is the only woman who ear that she is the only woman who has ever understood him and when she looks up confidingly into his eyes and breathes "You are so strong!" he does not class her to his bosom in an ecstany of joy and plant a delirious kiss on her trembling lips—no, instead of that he gets up and bows polite-ly and thanks her in a few courteous

One cannot help feeling sorry for one cannot get receive sorry for them when thinking how many pleas-ant evenings they miss. From my limited experience I wouldn't give a good old fashloned Missouri kiss for ton minutes of bows.—Homer Croy in Legico. Leslie's

Reversing a Phonograph Record.

A remarkably curious experiment may be performed with any ordinary phonograph. The sound box is reversed so that the needle slopes the other ways combined the district the sound box. other way, enabling the disk to be turned backward by the fluger being placed near the center. The effect produced is extremely astopishing. You hear the human voice singing songs backward; you hear the human voice singing of Wagner backward-plain English sounds like a Chinese language. The most remarkable effect is perhaps to play a chimo of bells in this reversed manner. The sound rushes up and up, but there is never a single strike or clash of a bell. The strike on the ear is reversed and is nothing but a sharp "cessation of sound."-Strand Maga-

A Scene Before the Mirror. What the jungle ladies of Africa lack in clothing they make up in hair adorn ment. Some styles are pleasing, while others are very grotesque. Their hall combs are made of a very tough wood and they need be tough, for one of the feminine customs is to put gum all through their hair to keep it in place.
A very strong comb is needed to get it apart, but the women contrive some-how to do it, and as time is not money in Africa they are never in a hurry. One is not surprised to learn that sometimes it takes a woman a week to have her hair properly arranged.-Christian

Aftermath.

"Aftermath" is a persistently ill used word. Eurly July is the time of the "math"—that is, the first mowing of the neadow. The short grass with a sufficiency of rain will grow again, and later will come the "second mow." or "aftermath." The phrase "The storm and its aftermath" seems a favorite with some story writers, but it is difficult to understand how a storm is difficult to understand how a storm can have a second mowing.

Cats and Rain.

The fur of the cat is full of electric ity, and before a thunderstorm it will be noticed that a cat is always extremely lively and playful, probably on ac fore rain is expected a cat will assiduously wash its face.

Camomile Tex.

Into a quart of boiling water place one ounce of camomile flowers and simmer for fifteen minutes, afterward straining. This makes an excellent emetic when taken warm and is a good tonic when taken cold. The dose is a wineglassful.

A Woman's Secret.

Biggs-There goes a woman with a past. Boggs-Yes, and there are about twenty years more of it than she is willing to own up to.-New York Jour pal.

To shape the whole future is not our problem, but only to shape faithfully a small part of it.—Thomas Carlyle.

The Seal's Ventilator. Not many people know how the seal of the far north gels air when the Arctic ocean is entirely covered with many feet of Ice. The small spotted seal, which is a

balr sent and not a fur bearer, is the hardy dweller of the northern waters. bardy dweller or the botters in the has an under his lough, thick skin lie has an under in more of hlubber. When the ice closes up the open water in the Arctic the seal selects a spot and bearctic the seat selection approach to drill a hole to the surface by pressing his warm nose against the ice. Nobody knows how many hours it takes him to accomplish his task, but he manages it, and, sithough he is obliged to work most of the time because the surface of the hole is continually freezing, he keeps it open all winter and obtains air. Seals have been known to drill in this manner through fifty feet of solid ice. Whether or not they take turns in the slow drilling is not positively known. . It is at these "seal holes" that the polar bear seeks food in the winter and there the Eskimo walts, spear in hand, for bis weekly supply of meat .- Youth's Companion.

Conta the Monkeys Wear.

Have you ever wondered why nearly all the monkeys which accompany the foreign organ boys should be dressed in a red cont, with a sort of lockey

The explanation is very simple. This costume is no faucy one, but is an almost exact copy of the winter dress wom by the organ boys fathers in the distant valley of Piedmont, where the peasants usually wear a red cont, rude-ly cut, with very stiff little tails, and inlekerbockers and lockey cap of the same color.

These clothes are spun and woven by the pensants and dyed red with the mader which grows in the valleys. The long roots are boiled, then mixed with alum and tartar, and the result is a red dye, which; though not very bright does not fade. The monkeys' coats are made of the bits which are left over when the peasant's coat is cut out—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Gallows Work.
A curious note in "Pepps" Diary" refers to the unpopularity of hangmen in those days. Commissioner Pett. who had traveled, told Pepys "how despicable a a thing it is to be hangman in Poland, although it is a place of credit, and that in his time there were some repairs to be made of the gallows there, which was very fine, of stone, but nobody could be got to mend it till the burgomaster or mayor of the town, with all the companies of those trades which are necessary to be used about those repairs, did go in their habits with flags in solemn procession to the place, and there the burgomaster did give the first blow with the hammer upon the wooden work and the rest of the masters of the companies upon the works belonging to their trades that so workmen might not be ashumed to be employed upon doing of the gallows work."

"Sleeping" Bullets.

The distance which a bullet travels is divided into three parts. The first distance the bullet travels in a wabbly manner, either up and down or side wise; the middle distance it "sleeps" or moves on an exact plane, and the third distance, being partly spent, it wobbles in a serpentine movement again. When the bullet "sleeps" it cuts a clean hole through the part of the body hit, but when it is on the first or final distance it tears a jagged hole and moves either up or down and is likely to remain in the body. When the battle range is regulated in such a manner that the line of soldiers is exposed to the range of the "sleeping" bullets there is less work for the ambulance corps.-Chicago Tribune.

In Honor of Minerva. The most notable festival at Athens was in honor of Minerva. All classes of citizens on this particular day

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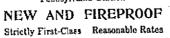
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Trade between this country and Australia is rapidly increasing. It has in-creased so much of late that there is a chortage of ships.

It is said that in many parts of the country the savings banks deposits are Increasing rapidly. This is taken to be usign of returning prosperity. Let us Люро во.

Thanksgiving was a day more to be appreciated in the United States than in the nations now at war. There was little opportunity for thankagiving

The war in Europe is said to be cost-Ing England twenty-five millions a day. They are to raise a war tax of over two billions and they expect soon to have two million men in the field. Still the work of slaughter goes merelly on.

The State Returning Board has concluded its labors after some three weeks of stronuous service. They have made no changes in those reported elected by the wardens and clerks count, but they have changed the majorities in many

The New York Herald says that in a usual well informed Democratic source, it is believed that W. J. Bryan will of his own initiative retire from the Cabinet on or about March 4 next. Lut us shope that the "well-informed source" is scorrectly informed this time.

A contract has been received by the Fore River Shipbuilding Co. for 20 sub-marines from "one of the allies," to be delivered in finished sections. The contract will total about \$10,000,000. It would seem as though submarines might swell be considered contraband of war

Governor-clost Recokman carried the clty of Providence by 25. This is a remarkable tribute to that gentleman's popularity when it is known that that city elected a Democratic Senutor by over two thousand and a Democratic Mayor by some five thousand majority. The returning board gave Beeckman 1.32,278 and Quinn 12,757.

The report of the committee on reorganization of the fire department was spor into the hands of all the voters of the city early in the week. The voters should read it carefully and digest its contents so that they can vote intelligently on the question, next Tuesday. We should judge from all we hear that The matter is creating much interest.

President Wilson's picture of the amillenium-set forth in his letter to the secretary of the Treasury-is not Justified. Business men themselves trefer to it frankly as a bit of partisan word painting. But they also think that its outstanding feature is the President's virtual admission that the time has come when the railroads of the peoiple should be dealt with in a spirit of justice and candor.

The "full crew bill," whereby a double force is employed on railroad trains, one-half doing nothing, got a black eye in Missouri at the election. In that "State the voters have the "recall" referendum and the people voted on this bill. The majority in favor of the repeal was 161,492, which would seem to be sufficient for all precises purpises. Give all the people a chance and they will right things after a while.

Reports from scross the water say that the Germans want peace. Some rof the German people have sent out a printed circular expressing the wish that sale pertral countries and lovers of peace to gaw sets energy for redsect from overtures to be made by some mentral power, perhaps the United States. That that circular passed the 'Çसन्दरक रहाअप रेंड स्पर्रेस्ट इड स्पर्वकारक स्ट्रीड Ting to the German government antheir

The Newport Mercury thinks there is no need for any changes in the present constitution. Still, there would probably be but half-hearted coposition to a proposition to give Newport two sensitions, if The Mercury could name one of them. The seastle committee rooms are planted to the property of the pro are planned places to enjoy several bruns defig realed from the chimbs and bruns cold of the Newport spring.— Providence News.

If the giving of two sensions to Newpart would mean a duranter Providence the committee rooms might be a little coveried. Besides, the spring time in Providence is not so inviting that many Responters care to seek that region for - accrement or comfort. On the whole भिन्न सम्बाजनात्र क्षेत्र इस्तिक्स्तर्याक्रस्त out by the News the MERCEN still sticks to the idea the senate in all right as it is.

Dr. Danish's suggestion of military drill among the pupils of the public schools is worthy of serious empirication. The United States has almost to ustanding army, and in case of hostilties is compelled to depend upon her volunteer forces. It is therefore of the utmost importance that the portio of the country should have some training in military life, to it them to respect if called upon. This plan has been in ' from in many places for a long time and has been found to be very satisfarmer. It gives the boys habits of - distipline and orderliness, and is also good exercise for them. The school committee will do well to give serious representation to the plan-

What Kind of Battleships,

The destruction of the British battleship Audaclous, whether by a mine or a submarine, will add point and force to the arguments of those contending that the expenditure of millions in wealth in the construction of great war vessels which have not justified their existence should go no further. This country may congratu-late itself that the recent effort to double the annual output of United States battleships came to mught. The president is to be commended for the decision to hold the Navy Department, in the making of estimates, to the two-battleships-a-year pro-

Before the end of the war now in progress the great armored battleships may do semothing to justify great continuing expenditures in building more and more of them, not only to get more in number, but to replace these going rusty after a very few years of life. The Audacious was less than three years old. She could not yet have entered upon that doterioration which sets in, in every bat-tleship, after half a dozen years. The Audacious was enpable of offering against an explosive, whother mine or torpedo, as much of resistance as any vessal of that type can over offer. What we now know is that her power, of resistance was practically nil, in spite of the assurances that she need not have sunk had not she been blown up as a necessary means of gotting her out of the way of navigation, a tale, it would seem, better worth telling to the marines than being told by

There can now be little doubt that, whether the great battleship goes or stays, a large part of the future devolument of navies will be in the building of submarines and torpado boats of other types. This government in particular should study all ndvances along lines of construction of such vessels. Vessels carrying great guns for siegs work, whether battleships or cruisers, would find their difficulties multiplied if fleets of smaller craft, and mines lining harors, were to be encountered.

The Administration Full of Hope,

That buoyant disperser of gloom, Secretary Redfield, properly chose the day for the opening of the federal reserve system as an opportune time for one of his messages of business cheer. There is a note of gladness in his latest deliverance, missing from his laborious argument in July, in which he sought to extract sunbeams from the encumber statistics of exports and imports on which a Republican county convention in New York had animadverted in resolutions. At that time the facts were against him and the situation was a strain on his thetorical resources. But his present message is free, easy and spontaneous. It bristles with statistics and comparisons. Not only does he find our condition relatively bright, compared with the distress of the manufacturing communities of Liege and Lille, but "rapidly improving and in many respects both prosperous and promising."

In the message there is an implication that we have been in a bad way. We may justly infer that his July effort was grave yard whistling. It is true that he ascribes our late depression to the effects of the European war, but the people remember that it was widespread before there was thought of a war. The war has brought a demand for products from abroad, even as it has improved the home market. The war spiked the Underwood tariff. Instead of imports growing and exports falling off, as they were steadily doing early in the year, the tide was turned the other way by the war. There is also another important factor. which Mr. Redfield may call psychological if he chooses. The result of the election has brought that confidence in business circles whose absence the president deplored in a recent speech. There is no Democrat in public life who is so obtuse as to consider the election a mandate to proceed with wild experipents in legislation affecting business. The revolution of sentiment was clear and it will have a chastening effect. Business men believe that the Democratz will more more cautionaly after the warning the country gave them. If they do not they will be swept from Power two Jeans bence.

The New Haven's Good Work.

(From the New York Tribune.)

The public requires no better proof that there is a new management in charge of the New Haven Railroad, with its mind on efficient operation, not with its mind on efficient operation, not on the stock market or on monopoly, than the schemid handling of the footbell crowds on Saturday going to and from the Yale Bowl. By a marvel of still Mr. Efficit and his associates transported vast througe demanding to be moved within a few hours and without regard to ached his, and did so smoothly and without hitch, so far as we have knapped, without crowding, delay or confinion. The higgest crowd that ever went to a football game went home friends of the new New Haven Ballway.

POKTSMOUTH.

From our Magning Correspondent The Willing Workers met with Krs J. O. C. Peckham on Toesday.

Mr. W. A. Steele entertained the CHRA of St. Paul's Courch at an all day meeting Transley. Luncheon was served. The day was spent in preparing for the Caristmas sale next rest. Benditions were passed on the death of Part. J. Storyk Pearce, a former rector of St. Paul's Courch.

A cottage at Portamonth Park be-larged to James Datton was burned to the ground on Tuesday might. The

fire was discovered about 9 o'clock, but by the time help had arrived it was too late to save the house. Sparks set fire to the roof of the Davitt cottage, but these were extinguished after some difficulty. The fire apparatus from Theorem came to the fire and did what it could to keep the mearby cottages from burning even though it could not save the Dutten house. The origin of the fire is not known as the house of the fire is not known as the house was untenanted.

Mrs. L. A. Pepple is visiting her daughter Mrs. George Manchester of Glenn Street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. C. Peckham entertained on Thanksgiving Day, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Manchester, Mrs. George Elliott, Messrs Ward and Ratherford Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Bowden L. Sissen and family.

Mr. Philip Smoot is ill at his home on Childs' street.

Mr. Robert W. Anthony is visiting his sister, Mrs. John H. Brown of Providence.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Clarke are spending the helidays with Miss Mary S. Lamb of New Bedford. Mr. and Mrs. J. Harrison Peckham and faully spent Thanksgiving with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Peckham of Newport.

Mrs. Almina Tallman is visiting hor sister, Mrs. Edward Brown of Glen

Mrs. Frank Slack of Providence has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Thomas of Child's street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grinnell and Mrs. Warren R. Shorman have gone to Washington to visit their sens, Mr. Alton Grinnell, and Mr. Howard Shor-

Thanksgiving services were hold at St. Mary's Church Thursday morning.

ot, many a course mursday mormog. There was a fire in one of the cottages near Island Park Sunday evening. It was discovered shortly before eight o'clock. A fair breeze was blowing, and but for the timely work of a few fire-fighters there might have been a serious fire. As it was only a small place was burned.

Mrs. Sarah Greene who has been visiting in town for the past month has returned to Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver G. Illeks are visiting their daughter, Mrs. George Hollester of Hartford, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry G. Randall have been entertaining Mrs. Jacques and Miss Emma Childs of Providence.

Mrs. Stephen Chase of Cleveland, Ohlo, is visiting Mrs. Clara E. Demis.

There was a large attendance at the union temperance meeting at the Christian Church on Sunday ovening. Christian Church on Sunday ovening. A very pleasing program was given. A very pleasing program was given. A very pleasing program was given. Among those words as a sunday work. Albert Lourks, Roy. John Wadsworth, Mr. Edward Saddington, Mr. Bridgeman, Misses Alico Hrayton, Emily Piorce, Mand Sowle, Howard Borden, Roy Cross, Darrell Cornell, Alico Marz, Mrs. Alonzo E. Rorden, Elsia Spotner, Elva Hedly, Mrs. Edward Thurston, Mary Coggeshall, Alico Aylor, Ruth Hedly, Eliza Sowle, Figrenco Chase, Mrs. Richard

Roy. Mr. Sears of Providence preached at St. Pan's Church Sunday morning, and Roy. John Gardner of Holy Trinity Church, Tiverton preached at the children's service in the after-

MIDDLETOWN. (From Our Regular Correspondent.)

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Roy. A. Wentworth Hewlit, of Plainfield, Vermont, who has been guest of Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Wells at the Methodist Parsonage the past week, delivered the sermon at the afternoon service Sunday at the M. E. Church. Roy. Mr. Howlit is well known in the Methodist literary field, being a frequent contributor to the Mothodist Roview and Zion's Herald. At the session of the Sunday School, the paster stated that he had received a most appreciative letter from the superintendent of the Providence Desconess Home, acknowledging the receipt of the Sbarrels of vegetables; fruit and clothing, sent them as the result of the Harvest Concart held week ago Sunday. The Epworth League also contributed \$10." Sunday evening Mr. Fred P. Webber rend the lecture, "Culture's Spailure," the second in the winter's series: The third will be given next Sunday ovening.

The public schools closed Wednesday for the remainder of the week. The students at St. George's School had only the day on Thanksgiving.

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Deaths.

In this city, Eich inst. Emma N. Easton. Stadeoly in this city, Sub inst., Michael J. Walth. Stadeoly, in this city, Sist inst., John P., son of the late Peter and Catherine Martin. In this city, 33d inst., Rev. James Sturgis Pearce, in his 80th year.

12. New York City, Nov. 21st., Georga Ecwea Smith, 57 years, grandson of the late testing Bowen of Newport.

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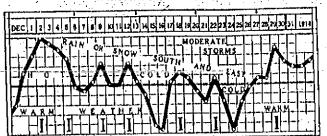
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Temperature of December will average much warmer than usual, remarkably warm first few days of the month and cold during the week centering on 16 and 24. Also quite warm 29 to Jun. 2. Cold waves near 16 and 24. Moderate storms 19 to 24. Most rain or snow in southern and eastern sections. Not much precipitation on Puelfic coast, or in northwest sections east of Rockles, Very fow severs storms and very little snow except in northeastern sections. General deficiency in precipitation.

Heavy rains in South America, floods in China, severe Winter storing and heavy snow in European Russin. Much botter weather than usual in Germany and France, stormy in Great Britain and more than usual rain. Stormy and heavy rains in Australia.

- Treble line represents normal temperatures. Where the temperature line goes above this normal line fudicates warmer and where it goes below indicates cooler than usual. Temperature line dates are for Moridian 60. Count one to three days earlier for west of that line and as much later for east of it in propertion to the distance from that line which runs north and south through St. Louis

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Washington, D. C. Now, 25, 1914.
Last building gave forecasts of disturbances to cross continent Nov, 30 to Dec. 4 and Dec. 3 to 7. Warm waves Nov, 23 to Dec. 8 and Dec. 2 to 6, cool waves Dec. 2 to 5 and 5 to 9. During the period covered by these storms unusually warm weather will provail and the cool waves following will be moderate, not very cold. Most rein in southern, and eastern sections. The storms will be moderate.

Next disturbance will reach Pacific coast about Dec. 6, cross Pacific slope by close of 7, great central valloys 8 to 10, eastern sections 12. Warm wave will cross Pacific slope about Dec. 6, great central valloys 8, custern sections 19. Cool wave will cross Pacific slope about Dec. 6, great central valloys 1, castern sections 18. More than the usual number of transcentinental storms are expected during December and the fourth disturbance will reach Pacific slope by close of 10, great central valloys 1, castern sections 18. More than the usual number of transcentinental storms are expected during December and the fourth disturbance will reach Pacific slope by close of 10, great central valloys 11, castern sections 18. Cool wave will cross Pacific slope by close of 10, great central valloys 11 to 13, castern sections 14. Warm wave will cross Pacific slope by close of 10, great central valloys 14, castern sections 18. The last cool-wave will cross Pacific slope about Dec. 9, great central valloys 14, castern sections 18. The last cool-wave will cross Pacific slope about Dec. 12, great central valloys 14, castern sections 18. The last cool-wave will cross Pacific slope about Dec. 12 great central valloys 14, castern sections 18. The last cool-wave will cross Pacific slope about Dec. 12 great central valloys 14, castern sections 18. The last cool-wave will cross pacific slope and the pacific pacifi

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Ryan Will Try For Office Against Three Opponents

Bolom, Mass., having decided that Mayor Hurley must stand for a vote on recall will have the pleasure now of seeing a lively contest, with Itur-loy, M. J. O'Keefe, former Mayor Howard and W. J. Ryan, driver of a garbage wagon; as candidates.

Ryan was born in Salem forty-one years ago. He has never before aspired to office. He sourcd the names necessary for his papers by porsonal canvass.

The candidate will make his pleafor votes to the plain people as one of the plainest of them all, Ryan says he represents a one-man movemont, which will gather support like a snowball rolling down hill.

VERA CRUZ EVACUATED

End of American Occupation of the Mexica Port

American troops which have hold Vera Crus have evacuated the city and salled home, and the Mexican flug is fleating again over the ancient

forfross of San Juan, Occupation of the Mexican port, in reprisal for literia's insult to the ling at Tampleo, has cost the United States more than a score of lives, some in battle and some from disease and, according to ostimates, as much as \$10,000,000. But Moxico will be neked to pay no indomnity. Admin-Intration officials want the fact to stand out as an added evidence of the disinterested friendship of the United Bintes for her southern neighbor.

Genoral Punaton find Instructions to turn the city over to, none of the Moxican factions and thereby avoid what might be construed as a recogfillion of one of them.

Bengral Carranza reached Vera Cris and when the spoke from the bulcony of the municipal paince he was greated with loud cheering.

DEATHS IN ASYLUMS

Report Places Blame For Many of Them Upon Attendants
Nursos and attendants in Massa-

chusetts hospitals for the insure were responsible for 23 percent of the deaths of patients and injuries to thom in 1913, according to the ananal report of the state board of inmunity.

Of the 136 casualties reported, of which the cause is known, 12 were suicides, 17 were sudden deaths without any suspicion of violence, one was too trivial for consideration and 105 were from injuries of more or loss soverity.

In 35 percent of the cases the responsibility lay with the patient bimsolt; in 30 percent it was placed on a fellow patient and in 12 percent it was definitely placed.

ROB SAFE AT LEISURE

Burglars Imprison Night Watchman While They Do the Job

Three burglars ordered Michael Konnedy, night watchman for the Bellingham Woolen company, North Bellingham, Mass., to go into the bollor room, emphasizing their order with several shots.

With one guarding each of two doors, the third blow open the sale valuable papers and \$100 in money were taken. The papers were found on the railroad track leading to this

FREED ON \$3000 BAIL

Joyce Pleads Not Guilty to Larceny of Municipal_Funds

Ball of \$3000 levied for the release of Allaton P. Joyce, former city clerk of Medford, Mass., pending 5 hearing on the charge of the larceny or \$10,000 of the city's funds, was furnished. Joyce pleaded not guilty.

He was arrested after the state diling hoard had made an investigation of the former city clerk's books, following his confession that discrepancies existed in his accounts. He resigned the following day.

ACT ON OWN INITIATIVE

instructions to American Commanders in Eastern Waters Secretary of the Navy Danlels

cabled Captain Decker of the cruiser Tennessee and Captain Omar of the cruiser North Carolina in the eastern Mediterranean, giving them discretionary authority to deal with emergencies that might arise in protecting American citizens and their Interests in Turkey.

The secretary rescinded the order which he sent last week, directing both commanders to take no action whatsoever pending an investigation of the firing on the Tennessee's launch at Smyrna.

PLOUFF PLEADS GUILTY

Boston Bank President Given Four to Seven Years in Prison Joseph A. Plouff, president of the

Lafayette Savings bank of Boston-was sentenced to four to seven 1825 in state prison after pleading gunt to larceny in five counts.

He was a pathetic figure as he hod bled into the courtroom on crutches. He is suffering from rheumatic fever Plouf was a member of the state board of health at the time of his to rest and has filled various political offices in his home town of Ware.

Gels \$15,250 For Loss of Leg The sum of \$15,260 for the less of Wife-I hired a new cook today,
Lena Stout. Hub-You did! And Wyile of Cembridge, Mass., in Life which is che? Wife-Which what? Hub-Lean or stout!-Roston Trans-cript.

KAISER'S ARMY SANDWICHED IN

One, and Perhaps Two, Corps Almost Completely Enveloped

RUSSIANS WITHHOLD DETAILS

Unofficial Reports Bay Invaders Are Utterly Crushed and Complete Annibilation or Surrender Are Only Alternatives -- Lured Into Trap Which is Closed Upon Them With Iron Grip-Kitchener Bays Russian Victory is Greatest You-Muscovite Forces Operating Successfully Against Turks-Comparative Quiet In Western Theatre of War

The Russian general stoff is still withholding the details of the victory which all other disputches from Petrograd may the Russians have won over the Udrinan forces that penetrated Poland,

The omeial report simply says that the battle continues to develop to that the Uprimum are trying to extricate themselves from a position that to yory unfavorable for thom. The Gormans, on the other hand, claim they have inflicted heavy losses on the Russians between fodz and

Not only is the army of the invaders bolloved to be ulterly crushed and 100,000 men killed or captured, but the retreat of the surviving corps has beginent off, and even now the work of further slaughter is going on. Complete annihilation or surrender are the alternatives of the invaders, under General von Bladenberg. His army is divided and he cannot hope to rally his forces.
This information is semi-omeial and

is believed to anticipate by a few nours official confirmation by the gen-

Petrograd la Rejoicing There is an undercurrent of rejoicing in Petrograd which is setting everybody on the United of expecta-tion. The great news has not been made public, but official dispatches were so worded as to arouse high hopes, and news from trustworthy cources which was known at the emtassies has been spreading throughout

The policy of the Russian headquarters sing bus been always to un-derstate successes until they are able to announce them complete. modest statement that "we have taken a number of prisoners" is yead in the fight of a new departure.

What has happened is that the Russian general staff out-generated the Germans, luring thom into a trap and then closed it upon them with an iron grip which cannot be resisted,

The kaiter's hysterical telegrams, alternately imploring and command-ing the generals to save the country from invasion by hurling back the Russian armics, appear to have flustered and worried them so that they did not stop to form a plan but advanced blindly and put their heads In the noors which the Russians were waiting to pull light. .

Defeat Was inevitable The military authorities in Petrograd, assuming that the unofficial reports of a victory are true, express satonishment that the Germans should have attacked Lodz, for they say defeat there was inevitable.

The Germans, who advanced from the north and south, these military observers add, doubtless intended to sfere the rallway between Skierniewice and Piotrkow and interrupt communication between the northern and southern Russian armies, but that Brand Doke Nicholas, with the enormous number of men at his command, was able to sandwich them and di-rect his attacks from all points ex-

The reported failure of the German crown prince's army advance on the bracow-Czenejochowa front is coneldered by these military critics as contributing to the checking of the

It is said in Petrograd that one, if most completely enveloped and that they are making a desperate effort to fight their way out to the north. Already a large number of prisoners are reported to have passed through

Kilchener's Statement

This is considered in London to confirm the unofficial reports and the statement of Lord Kitchener in the house of lords that the reinforced Russian troops in this neighborhood have been able to check and defeat the Germans, with, I believe, heavier hases than they ever sustained be-

the Russians are said to be contianing their advance through the Carpathians, in western Galicia and Lyainst Cracow, and Professor Bern-ard Pares, the British government's tepresentative with the Russian head-trarters staff, says the Muscovite ces are forming a half circle around List Prussia, so as to arold the well fortified and difficult Magnitan lake region. They also are declared to be eperating with success against the Turks in the Caucasus.

Quiet in the West
Except for stillery fighting, the
fattle in the west remains virtually
at a standstill, although in isolated attacks both sides claim to have made kine progress. There is no hidrention where the next German blow is to be struck in their attempt to reach

the French coast. Lord Klickener in the bouse of lords declared that all the gays in the Last read filed, and that both Retting the decision after twelve the decision after twelve that see filed, and that both Retting the decision after twelve that see filed, and that both Retting the decision after twelve the see filed. ris placed this descending pro-

reached the front. ... While Kiteliener expressed confidence in the result of the war and asserted that 20,000 recruits were joining the lighten arm each week, he warned the public that still more pien would be required.

REPORTED GREAT SUCCESS

Subscriptions to British War Loan of \$1,750,000,000 Have Closed

Lists of authoriptions to the greatest war loan in history, amounting to \$1,750,009,000; or rather more than half the total of the British national debt, have closed at London and the loan, it is sin \$1, will be a great suc-cess, although no official figures as yet are available.

Coming at a time when the London stock exchange is closed and imme-diately after \$300,000,000 of tresh taxation had been imposed, the retive of the determination of the country to enable the government to procecute the war to a successful end.

"POLITICAL IDIOCY"

What Germany's Official Organ Says

of Reports of Desire For Peace The German efficial organ, the Cologne Gazette, declares that the fewhich it says are probably inspired by'the British, belong to the "region

of higher political idlocy." notther in the east nor the west," it continues, 'la critical. The German military undertakings on all the batticlicids are progressing favorably, Neither the military nor the political situation contains any reason which might make Cormany desirous to con-

LAST MEN CALLED OUT

War Has Left Austria Even Without Her School Teachers

Austria's last available forces have been called to the colors; according to a dispatch from Venice. It says that the schools will be closed for

link of teachers,
"From Dec. 1," asserts the dispatch, "all schools in Triest and the surrounding districts will be closed. majority of the tenchers have been called up, they being members of the last landsturm. The lavy has absolutely cleared the whole country of men." The lavy has

AWAITS CALL OF ALLIES

Portuguese Congress Preparing to Bend Troops into the War Zone

A dispatch from Lisbon save that the Portuguese congress decided that Portugal should co-operate with the allies when it considers the

The ininister of war will issue a decree for partial mobilization.

A GENERAL SURVEY OF THE WAR IN EUROPE

of big annuities was being made to certain relations of the reigning royal family when members of their families were fighting for Germany against Great Britain was raised in the house of commons by William Young.

Thus far during the war the British

royal navy has lost 4327 officers and men killed and 473 wounded, while 968 men are missing and 1576 are captives or have been interned.

These figures are contained in a statement issued by the admiralty, and include, in addition to naval men, the marines of the royal naval divi-

Christians have been massacred and their shops and homes sacked by a large force of Turks at Trebizond, a message from Constantinopic de-

Trebizond is a seaport of Asiatic Turkey on the Black sea. The Christian inhabitants are chiefly Greeks and Armenians. The Christian

quarters are outside the wails. The Island of Herm, one of the channel group on the coast of Guernsey, which is less than one square mile in area, has been occupied by British troops as a precaution against its possible use by Germany.

During a furious bombardment of Ypres the Germans wrought more damage than any time during the six weeks they have been vainly fighting for the place. Shot and shell from the big guns wrecked the famous Halles or market place and destroyed the town hall, both being structures of great historic interest and dating back to the thirteenth and fourteenth

centuries respectively.

A report on the activities of the American relief commission to date shows that it delivered in Rotterdam during the first four months of its existence 23,200 tons of foodstuffs, most of which have been actually distributed in Belgium.

The discovery of an anti-war plot in Russia, with the arrest of several members of the doums at a revolutionary meeting, which is semi-om-cially announced from Petrograd, is a picturesque incident of the news and shows that the old-time democratic name that is always smouldering teneath the surface in the crars domains is apt to break forth at any

Engineer Scalded to Death Timothy D. Harrington, 68, engin-eer of a Fail River, Mass., mill, was scalded to death while at work in the engine room when the cylinder head on the engine blew out.

Pestmaster a Suicide Retbert F. McLanab n costmaster at Killingly. Coun. Red sulelle in a Providence v tailing polson, according to the efficial examiner's report.

Welsh Retains Championship Fred Welsh, the lightweight cham-

GUES DOWN IN THREE MINUTES

British Battleship Bulwark Is Blown Up In Thames

OVER SEVEN HUNDRED PERISH

Admiralty Claims That Magazine Exploded, but Others Fear German Submarine May Have Caused Disseter-But Fourteen Burvivors of Explosion at Sheerness

ligitain's great navy suffered from another of the catastrophes which have followed on the heels of each other since the war was declared.

The big battleship Bulwark, of 15.-000 ions displacement, is a shattered wreck on the bottom of the Thames, not more than thirty-five miles from London, and of her crew of over 800 men only fourteen non-commissioned officers and men survive. The others went down with their ship. There was no chanco to rescue them. The ship sank in three minutes.

The Bulwark was blown up, but whether her doom was the result of an accident from within, or of an attack by a German submarine, is not yet known. Officials profess to bedo with this latest disaster to the British navy, but London fears that the dreaded submarine of Germany has scored a fresh triumph, and this time almost at the doors of London

The explosion occurred while the Bulwark was lying off Sheerness, which is at the mouth of the estuary of the Medway, Ammunition was denly there was a terrine roar. Dense clouds of fiamo and steam shot up it the air, completely enveloping the Bulwork.

Three minutes later, when the smoke had partially cleared where the Bulwark had been; there was nothing except a tossed sea and the heads of fourteen men who were frantically keeping themselves on the surface. All the rest of the 800 were

There was nothing in human power which could render them any aid. The survivors were quickly picked up by small craft which rushed to their assistance. They could tell little or nothing of the tragedy. It all hap-pened too quickly, All they knew was that the great ship had been rent to pieces and had gone down.

It is believed that the expossion occause will be determined by a com-mission which has been appointed to investigate the whole affair.
The possibility that a German sub-

marine wrought the destruction of the Bulwark has thrown London in a state of semi-panic. If the undersea ships can come so close to London, people are wondering what can stop them progressing to the metropolls itself: In spite of the great navy of the empire, the bellef is expressed that the shipping of Great Brit-ain is not safe even in the waters which flow through the capital and past the historic buildings which line its shores.

In the opinion of naval men it was an Internal explosion that put an end to the bailleably. There was no great upheaval of water, such as would have occurred it she had been torpedoed or struck by a mine. Instead, the ship was enveloped in smoke and flames, and when this had cleared nothing could be seen but wreckage neating on the sea.

Houses in towns seven and eight miles away were shaken by the explosion, and even before men on shins anchored near-by could reach their own decks the Bulwark had disappeared. The water nearby presented a terrible appearance, being strown with an enormous amount of wreckage, while pieces of the battleship were thrown six or seven miles onto Essex shore.

The disaster was officially reported to the house of commons by Winston Churchill, first lord of the admiralty.

He said: "The loss of the ship does not sensibly affect our military position, but I regret the loss of life, which was very heavy. Only fourteen men were saved. All the officers and the rest of the the crew, which I suppose amounted to between 700 and 800, perished."

Although only twelve years old and no longer on the first fighting line, the Bulwark was a useful unit. The loss of the abip, however, was nothing compared with the heavy loss in trained officers and men.
The Bulwark in her early career

was quite a favored ship. For a long time she was the flagship of Admirat Beresford in the Mediterranean. She was of 16,000 tons displace-

ment, was laid down in 1899 and completed in 1902. She was 411 feet long. 76 feet wide and drew 29 feet of wa-Her armament consisted of four 12-inch, twelve 6-inch guns, sixteen 12-pounders, six 3-pounders and four submerged torpedo tubes. She had a complement of 750 men.

Frank Plea Turned Down Justice Lamar refused to issue a writ of error to bring to the United States supreme court for review the conviction of Leo M. Frank, under sentence of death for the murder of Mary Phagan at Atlanta. .

Killed With His Dog Thomas McNully, 50, while walk-ing on the railroad tracks at Paw-tucket, R. I., with his pet buildeg, was struck and killed. The dog tried to pull his master from the track and was killed in the attempt.

RICHARD CROKER TAKES YOUNG BRIDE

Ex-Chleftain of Tammany Weds Indian Chief's Granddaughter

Ketaw Kaluntuchy, better known as Beulah B. Edmondson, whose grand-father, Chief Sequoy, was a Cherokee warrior, is the bride of Richard W. Croker, who used to be the "Big Chief" of Tanunany Hall. Her father, a Scotchman, married Princess Se-quoyan, the indian chief's daughter. Mgr. Brann, rector of St. Agnos

church, performed the coremony. Croker and Miss Edmondson gave interesting details of their life history to the marriage liceuse clerk at city hall. It developed that Croker is 73 years old, and not 71, as gen-erally supposed. He also has a mid-die name, Welsted. None of his intimate friends over remember seeing it in print before.

The bride is 23 years old, and says she is a poet and lecturer, chiefly on subjects relating to her race. She is an accomplished singer, very talented and popular among a wide circle of

SIEGEL DECLARED GUILTY

Merchant-Banker Gets \$1000 Fine and

Henry Slegol, the New York merchant-banker, was adjudged guilty of a misdomeanor in connection with the failure of his chain of department stores and private banks by the verdict of the jury.

A fine of \$1000 and ten months' imprisonment was the sentence imposed by Justice Clark.

it by the second Monday of next-June, to which time stay of execution of sentence was granted, Siegol makes a substantial payment to the 15,000 depositors who lost \$2,500,000 in the private bank he conducted in the Fourteenth sireet store, the execution of sentence of ten months in the Monroe county pentientlary will be indefinitely postponed. If he falls to "make good," in the language of Justice Clark, a bench warrant for his arrest will be issued.

GENERAL NEWS EYENTS

Three brothers, Joseph, Andrew and Hertollo Pesanti, aged 4. 5 and 6 years, fespectively, broke through he thin ice on the Shopaug river at Hoxbury, Conn., and were drowned.

Harold Carlson, 13, and Matty Grontors, 8, were drowned at Worcester, Mass., when they broke through thin ico on which they were

Despondent over business reverses, Frederick F. Nagell, of Nawton, Mass., committed suicide by shoot-

Lying down on a bed beside his sleeping 9-year-old son, and with his 8-year-old daughter slumbering on a cot close by, Charles Goodnoy, a widower, committed suicide at Worcester, Mass., by shooting.

Cardinal Aristides Cavalarri, patri-

arch of Venice, is dead. A public schoolhouse at Osterville. Mass., built three years ago at a cost of \$20,000, was burned. The cause of the fire is not known.

The large clubhouse of the Highland country club at Westileld, Conn., was burned. The loss is about \$50,-

Robert Balestracel, 11, broke through thin ice and drowned while attempting to cross a pit on his way home from school at Rockport, Mass.

In the office of the Kosmos Supply company at Boston, of which he was the manage: George A. Hermanico, committed suicide by shooting.

While crossing a pond on thin ice in quest of laurel and overgreen, David Brickson, 22, of Norwell, Mass., was frawned.
The Haverbill Herald company,

publishers of the Haverhill Herald, filed a voluntary polition in bankrupter at Boston. The linbilities are fixed at \$18,293.74. .

Escaping gas in a Doston lodging house killed Christon Mangelai of Dulute, Wis,, who was on his way to

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I could hear of but without effect. When by chance I was the Ointment in the paper I sent for samples and used them. After finding them so good I bought some more and now my bale is

growing steadily and nice and plos dandrull is all gone." (Signed) Noian, Jan. 23, 1914. Samples Free by Mall-

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She-All men are liars.
He-George Washington wasn't.
She-That's right. He told the truth once and it was so remarkable an act for one of your sex that it has gone into blaters. "Heah about Chawlie!"

"Hoan about Chawlie!"
"No. What's wrong with him?"
"Brain fevah."
"My word! What caused it?"
"Frying to roll a cigaretto in a high wind."—Cloveland Plain Denler.

that she was engaged to a very tree landowner.

"'Well, well, said I. 'And here we all thought you'd marry the elequent young preacher who took you about so much last summer.'

"The girl smiled.

"'Deeds speak louder than words, she said."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

JONES WROTE POETRY.

And Laid & Layer of Bricks For Every Line He Composed.

Several years ago I wrote an essay for the Atlantic Monthly on "The Hun-Ored Worst Books." For a place in the list I selected a book in my library entitled "Poems on Several Octasions," poblished in 1740 by one Jones, a poet whose name was unknown to the till I erused his verse. The pages here so fresh that I cherished the belief that I was the only reader in a century and a haif. I had the pride of possession in

It was some time after that I came across, in Walpole's letters, an allusion to my estectued poet. It seems that Colley Cibber, when he thought he was dying, wrote to the prime inhister recommending the bearen Mr. Henry Jones, for the vacant laurel. Lord Chesterfield will tell you there of him."

I was never more associated in my life thin when I visualized the sinaflon and saw by friend Jones 'the bearer' of a demand for the reversion of the laureateshin.

It seemed that Walpole was equally surprised, and when he next met ford Chesterfield the eager question was, With is Jonies, and why should be be recommended to the position of poel laurente? Lord Chesterfield answered. "A better poet would not take the post and a worse ought not to have it." It appears that Jones was an Irlah bricklayer and had made it his custom to work a certain number of hours according to an undertailing rule. He would lay a layer of brick and then compose a line of poetry, and so on until his day's task was over. This accounty for the murrelons eventions of bis verse.

This was but a small discovery, but It gave a real pleasure, for should I meet my Lord Chesterfield he and I would at once have a common interest both lind discovered Jones, and Quite independently .- Attentie Mouthly.

ONE VIEW OF BISMARCK. His Love of Music and His Distike of Wagner as a Man.

Taiking of the arts Blamatck said: "Of music I am very fond, but now I have to abstain from liceting it bechies tears come only too readily into my ages. My heart is stronger than my head. Indeed, what self control I have has been bought by experience." Many instances occurred during our conversations which gave the tenth to this assertion.

The extreme mobility of his countebinuce and the various shades of expression which passed over it told of a sensitive, emotional temperament. "But I have a fire within me still which burns at times with 'nery' Upon that I asked, "Are you in reality the iron chancellor?" "No," he said, "not nathralis; the from I have created to use when necessary." And that I believe to be true.

I asked him if he knew Wagner per 'Yes," he answered, "but it Sonally : was guite impossible for me to care for him er to encourage his society. I had not time to submit to his insuffable vanity. Before breakfast, at breakfast, before and after dinner, Wagner demanded sympathy and admiration. His egotism was wearlsome and intolerable, and his demand for a listener was so incessant that I was obliged to avoid his company. I was too busy with my affairs to be able to give him all or even a portion of the demands he would have claimed upon my time. But I admire his music greatly, though been compelled to give up going to the opera because the boautiful and touching includies I cannot get out of my head; they cling to ma and I find it difficult to release myself from them, and now it three me to be so mered - From Conversations With Prince Eismarck," dy W. B. Richmond, the English painter, in North American Review.

Renamized Their Old Friend, The late Sir John Steel, who was sculptor to Queen Victoria, was modeling a bust of Miss Nightingale when an officer of one of the highland regiments which had suffered so cruelly in the Crimes heard that the bust had just been completed and was in Sir John's stedio. Many of the men in his company had pessed through the hospital at Scotari, and he obtained permission from the sculptor to bring some of them to see it. Accordingly a squared of men one day marched into the studio and stood in line. They had no then why they had been mustered in so strenge a place. Without a word of warning the bust was uncovered, and then, as by one impulse, the men sailt" to sain dith ins dass stond Nightingula Miss Nightingule!" surrounded the model and, with hats of, thered the figure of their devoted name and the roof rang. So sponwas the whole scene that in after cays Sir John Steell declared it to be the greatest compliment of his life.

Pichezded?

It is an interesting fact that the two station of arithmetic and geography seem to be dismetrically opposed to each other in the affections of school children. Popils who are particularly reclident in one are apt to be backward in the other. A story is told of & Ettle boy who was slow in arithmethe and whose apparent stupidity in the feel was a great source of grief to his father, who had been a mathememora One day when the father and see were waiting out they passed a place where a "learned rig" was on eximinen and the father took the boy to see this portine prodict.
"Its! bok at that," said the father.

"Wey, there's a fig that can count and add to numbers!" Don't you wish were as smart as be?"

"Ea," answered the boy, "just let me sak ilm a few questions in geogra-1477

Feathered His Nost. wast do you think of this? Jimson F27s be's directed from politics." is he? Then I bet he's got the allmong. - Baltimore America

Downfall of an Astronomer.

M. Gudule was the aged cook of the French astronomer Latande. Like many men of distinction in his counlry and era, Lalande at one time dab-bled a little in the culinary art him-He contrived a sauce or the which Gudule pronounced providing for an amateur, and be was an expert maker of salads, which he was wont to prepare at table for the delectation

of his guests.
"But there is now no more of that," Gudule lamented. "With his bred full of miserable stars he hardly knows old from vinegar. He makes no more salada, the unhappy man, and those which I prepare for him with the utmost care and serve charmingly-sal-ads to tempt a king-he devours without a glance, without a word, without savoring, without appreciating, as if they were no more than boiled cab-bage! A donkey callug thistles along the highway is more grateful for his dinner. Stars are well enough in the sky, look you, but it is imbecile to permit them to interfere with your modes here on earth. Heaven, which created victuals and inspires cooks, never intended it. . I. Gudule, eny so."

Bravery of the Belgians. When Caesar in his "Commentaries" pronounced the Belgue the bravest of all the clauls he was merely recording the reputation that their had carned on many à battlefield and which they maintained even in defeat. Caesar overwhelmed more than a unarter of a million of them in the year of B. C. on the banks of the Alene. After the crushing defeat on the Alana serveral tribes, headed by the Nervil, made a last stand on the Sambre, taking the offensive against the Roman legions and very nearly detecting them by the intensity of their onslaught. But the training and discipline of Rome exect Cateat, and the duel result of the he role resistance of the Netvil was their practical annihilation. Their peace emissaries said, "Of 600 sensions we have lost all but three; of 60,000 fighting men but 800 remain." It is from this stock that the Belgians of today are descended.-F. J. Splitstone in Les-

Attack of the Consacks.

The Russian Coseacka have a form of attack which is peculiarly their own of attack which is peculiarly their own.
It is known as the "lava." Cosaack
horses are specially trained to carry
out the maneuver. The leading sotala
(squadron) spreads out to right and left, and the others, at full speed, form up on either side of it in a semicircle or half moon. Every man with a lance is attended by a man wearing a sword. and all the officers are in front of the men of each soluta. The other squadrous do not walt for a special order, but at once adopt the same formation, endeavoring to surround the enemy from another side. With loud shouts reminiscent of the red Indian war whoop the Cossacks tush down on the foe and even though the first resmit be repulsed another "lain" pours down on the shaken enough. This system of nttack takes its name, of course, from the liquid products of volcanic activity. -London Mail.

Ancient Astronomy.

A most interesting discovery in Egypt has been made, where an observatory has been found at Morce at the bottom of a well in an underground bathing establishment, the advantage of such an observatory being that the stars could be seen by day as well as by night. This observatory, it is claimed, was evidently a copy of the famous observatory at Assuau, where the circumference of the earth was first determined-a work which was said to have been done at the bottom of the well. The chamber in which the astronomer's instruments were placed was ideally fitted for its purpose. Only a strip of sky was observable. On one of the stucco walls the astronomer has left a record of his calculations.

Must Have Some Evidence "I tell you, Jack," said the cothusiast in the Berliner Illustrirte Zeitung, "I have a new car that is wonderful. It runs so smoothly that you can't teel it. It makes no noise at all, and there is no smell of gasoline. And speed!
Why, it goes so that that you can't

"Indeed?" replied his friend. "Tou in't feel it, hear it, smell it or see it. How neder the sun do you know Joo're got a car, then!"

Ten Dollare a Leak

"And when my day's work is through," said the fat plumber, "there is nothing I enjoy so much as drop-ping of to sleep and dreaming."

"And what are your favorite dreams," asked the boson friend.

"Why, pipe dreams,"-Philadelphia Record.

A Learning Pumple Teacher—I should like my pupils to take a pride in their personal appearance Now, you Thomas how many collars do you went a week? Thomas-Please, miss. do you mean how many weeks do I weer a coller? Lon-Agenzoles ach

His Explanation.

But. Jack, 700 said 700 adored me." "Did 1! Well, another girl bad just rejected me and at that moment I didn't much care what I said."-Cleveland Plain Desier.

Just as Well.

"I can't accept your offer of affection, my dear sir."
"All right madam. Then will you please return ft?"—Baltimore Ameri-

Self trust is the first secret of rac-

Painfully Particular.

"If you refuse me this time," he said, "I shall never ask you to be my wife again."

"Oh, please," replied the girl from Boston 'try to use better English. I never have been your wife. Why should you ask me to be your wife again?"-Chicago Heraid

GOOD JOKE ON WIFEY

MRS. THUEBOY'S FLINTATION WITH HANDSOME "STRANGER."

Bhe Really Thought She Had Never Before Been the Young Man Who Taught Her to Swim, but It Turned Out She Had.

"You nover-never-do the one thing I have asked you to do until I'us tired of asking!" said pretty Mrs. Truc-

boy to ber husband. "O, you mean"—and he flourished one hand about his face, with a grin.
"Yes, Yust that, I want you to shaye, You're the only man in the

neighborhood with a beard." "Well, my dear, I want some badge

of distinction."

"I don't carol I'm getting to hater your heard? Just think of it! I naver-gaw you with a smooth face."
"But when we were sparking, dear, you thought my beard so nice - so silky, you said, and so becoming,"

"Hot I've changed my mind. Other men of your age don't wear a beard. Nobedy but old codgers. Besides, the other women talk about it. 'Ito must have a weak face,' I heard one of the neighbors say. Bho didn't think I was listening, the cattle.

"Well, dear, if you insist upon it i'll shave the moment I got back from this

share the "What' Are you going fishing "Yes. Up in Canada. Want to come along?"

"I should think not! And if you go fishing again, I shall go down to the shore for a couple of weeks. I suphand indicated ad if not exec

"All right, my dear. Go and only yourself. But don't first too much."
"Filt! The ideal Arou't you askamed of yourself, John Truckoyf his Around askamed of yourself, John Truckoyf Market and Around A But I suppose you nirt when you're galden

"A little with the fish, yes. But there are he pretty girls where I'm going.

"I don't believe you. Besides, you see plenty of pretty sirls on the way "I do sht" And John Trueboy (sugh)

her in his arms and tried to kirs her. "I'll nover klas you again, John, un til you get rid of your beard. And I'll have a good look at you when you are

but "noth nor eals I broad bornds she seemed to mean it. John Trueboy started on his fishing trip, and Mrs. Trueboy lost no time in making for the seashore.

Before Mrs. Truebox started, however, she attended two bargain sales and outlitted herself elaborately. The season was a bit late, and the made bargains. She got a fetching balling sult that displayed her sightly figure to the best advantage, and when she first made her appearance on the shore she was very good to look at, with a polkadotted red bathing cap that gave the final touch of charm. She was a fine animmer and looked for more alluring in the water than some women do on erena

Mrs. Trueboy had no notion of filtting when she went to the short although the felt a little resentment at Trueboy for selfishly going fishing and leaving her to her own derices. But the first day she did firt with

a young man-one of the very few in the water-to the anger of every other woman on the beach. She sat with him and swam with him, and in the erealing she danced with him. And he appreciated her kindness. The next day, as she was thosting and awinguing about and wondering whether she had done just right in the matter, she caught a glimpso of a handsomer roung man floating near her. She had noted him at breaklast, for he was a fresh arrival, and had been tempted to indulse in a slight flirtation there and then, for he had encouraged it. But all at once she thought of John Trueboy, away up in Canada, and sho really degan to dellere he couldn't flirt on a fishing trip.

But she changed her mind. She was floating in shallow water, as she found by touching bottom, and the templa-tion was too great. She pretended she couldn't awim, and shricked and made a show of helpleasness. This experimental deceit is sometimes affected by young women who really could give a mermald a race.

The handsome fellow, of course, came to her rescue, and their acquain-tance began. He set about teaching her. Young women who can't swim or who pretend they can't and Joung men who teach young women how to swim know something of the peculiar intimacy of this joyous task. It was not long before Mrs. Trueboy forgot all about John in Canada, and she even looked at the young man she had direed with but resterday as though she never before had seen him. At moments haf conscience troubled her . bit, but she got over that. This was too much fun to be worrying about enthing else.

"Tou seem to like me," said the young man unblushingly, as they waded out.

Mrs. Trueboy looked about in alarm. This was not the voice that had been teaching her to swim. But it was the voice of John Trueboy, who had shaved.—Judge.

Ivery in Commerce.

When the king and queen visited the London docks a short time ago, they saw laid out on the floor of one the great warehouses \$750,000 worth of ivory-an array of fine tusks which must have represented great hunting adventures in tropical

Passing of the Epitaph.

A monument dealer says but few people now have epitaphs on the monuments of their loved ones. It is getting so in many cases that you can't guess a fellow's final destination by the way the marble ticket routes bim. -Houston Post.

BRITISH ARMY CALM

Soldiers at Mons Fished White Walting for Allack.

Gallant Charges of the French Turcos at Quarlerol, Where the Carnage Was Worldle-Cardinals Bless Troops.

London - Returning from the front correspondent of the Times sends

the following under a Parla date:
"At Mona the British troops made themselves at home, Preparations for the city's defense were extremely constorting in their workmanlike de-tall. In the woods lurked innumerable field gone. Recrywhere in the town confidence was dominant.

"Then with heavy firing audible in the distance British soldiers can sit quietly on the banks of the canal. calmly fishing with bayonated rifles as fishing rols, the speciacle hispiros confidence even though from all directions the presence of the dreaded German cavelry is reported."

The next day the correspondent proceeded to Tournal, where he found the populace in great alarm. Blx German camby men motored into the town and inquired whether there were any French soldiers. They were told that there were none, but later in the day French troops entered the place and allied the six Germans. The next day a large force of Germans attacked town and was repulsed.

Proceeding to Valencieunes, correspondent found that troop trains alled with Brillsh soldiers were coutimustly arriving there. The British officers were in absolute possession omeers were in absolute possession of the retreshment bars and no food was obtainable. The correspondent continues: Near Charlerol I heard some stories of the bravery of the Freuch soldiers. The Germana were bombarding the city.

The French made what amounted to a medieval sortie, but finding the enemy in much prester torce than was expected were combelled to with-The bombardment continued releatlessly, whereupon the Franch Turcon ploked troops from Algeria, debouched from the town and with gallantry which must surely live in history charged the German batters.

bayoneting all the German gunners.
Their leases, it is said, exceeded these of the light brigade at lisia. those of the light origade at Hala-elays. Of a battation only a bundred men, it is reported, returned un-scratched. Their bravers, however, was powerless against the German advance, which crept toot by foot through the outsirts of Obarlerol to the very heart of the town.

There in the narrow streets the arms was indescribable. The CATURA French Infantryman told me that the roads became so tammed with dead; that the killed remained standing upright where they had been shot, superted by their dead comrades. last stand of the French was made before the railway station, in front of which passes the canal, where the Germans fought for two hours to take. the bridges. After they had captured the station, with heavy casualties, the Cormans moved rapidly ahead, taking suburban villages."

The correspondent of the Control News at Paris sends the following:

The shooting of the British Infantrymen on the dring line was wonderful. Every time a German's head, showed above a trench and every time the German infantry attempted to rush a position, there came a steady, with-ering fire from the khaki-clad men-lying in extended formation along the wide battle front.

"I witnessed a notable scene on the road between Boulogue and Paris Two English cardinals, Cardinal Bourne, archbishlp of Westminster and Cardinal Gasquet, abbot president of the English Benedictines, were on their way from London to the conclave at Rome. Their train stopped on a siding and by a curious chance a regi-ment of British troops, which included to its ranks a large body of Irish Catholics was drawn up alongside for a moment. The cardinals leaned out of the window and gave the soldlers their ing which the Catholic soldiers, by spontaneous impulse, knolt to re-

WAR BOOMS TOBACCO TRADE

Consumption Largely Increased Owing to Nervous Excitament Under Which the People Labor.

New York .- A representative of a big clear company said that during the four weeks after the war began, the business of the company was the largest to its bistory.

He asserted that the consumption of tobacco had been promoted nervous excitement under which the American people are laboring as a result of the war. Also, he added, the unusually large

number of people out of work gives more time to indulge the tobacco Mabit

How the Amphion Went Down, Harwich, England.—Survivors of the cruiser Amphion which was sunk by a mine in the North Sea say that as the vessel struck the mine she gave two plugging jerks. Then came an explosion which ripped up her foreart, shot up her funnels like arrows from a bow, and lifted her heavy gwns nto the air. The Amphion's men are dreadfully burned and scalded and have marks on their faces and bodies which resemble splashes of acid.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chart Hillithers

LOSING A GOLF MATCH! just a Little Lack of Concentration

Once Defeated Travers. Writing by golf in the American Magactus, Jeromo D. Tenvers suggests that lack of concentration, particularly with reference to keeping one's eye on the hall, to the greatest cause of bad golf playing. He says that to practice con-centration is very difficult, as he knows from personal experience. He then tells the following story showing how lost 6 great match through this

faulti "I know how hard this practice it. I have always thought that but for breaking this cardinal precent I might have had a very good chance to beat tititon in 1911 at Apatyands—when the English champion carried away out chief amateur trophy.

"In the morning ranged over the dret eighteen holes I had been playing budly whild induced four down. Every one, in-cluding 1100m, considered the match and over. But he the afternoon ! einfled with a rush and won the first three holes, leating myself only one down and well within reach. At the next hole I had an easy two foot putt to make to win my fourth straight hole and aquata the match.

I have always thought that it I had unde that putt the odds would have been in my favor. Now, in pulling I make it a set time to look at the ball until my club has alruck the spot I aim tooking at. I have been able to do this by constant practice of concentration. But on this occasion I land a down bill patt, and I was overanxlous. And Just before my club struck the ball I looked mp, pushed the ball to the right of the cup and inlied the shot. This upset me for a mothent, and I topped my drive at the next tiele, being it. The combination, coming auddenly, restor-ed Histor's confidence, which had been with the result that I was besten three and twa!

NO DISCOUNT ON PIES.

Yet It Seemed as Though, Considering, There Should Have Been.

Mrs. Hannali Fifor, a widow, who earned her living by renting rooms for light housekeeping, and, the reputation of being a stream manager and much inclined to carry economy to the farthest possible point. Sho was hard working withat and seemed hover to reach the end of her daily labor. On a certain day Mrs. Castle, one of the "light housekeepers." Anding a nurphy of thise on her hands, kindly offered to help Mrs. Offer out with her overthree of work.

"Well, if you feet like it, I wouldn't care it you'd take hold and bake me up a couple of ples." Mrs. Fifer con-ceded. "That'll help me a lot. There's n bowl of apple sauce that I'm afraid won't keep if it ain't used soon.

After Mrs. Castle had begun work Mrs. Filer appeared with a supplementary suggestion.

this the "Mounds or not said the "mebby you wouldn't mind baking four pies. "Typu't take any more coal to bake four than two, and that'll be a saring. You can make the filling hold out by having lots of Julce to it."

Mrs. Castle agreed to the amend-ment and worked away ipdustriously until her task was accomplished, when, wearful with her labors, she retired to

her own apartment. in a short time Mrs. Pifer's small daughter, Pegge, appeared at her door,

"Ma says," reported Peggy, "that she don't tillere she'll be able to use all them tour ples before they dry out and she wants to know if you won't buy two of 'em off her for 20 cents. and she'd like the 20 cents right away.

Mrs. Castle bought the ples, observ ing to herself with a dry smile, "She might have let me have two for 15 -considering."-Youth's Compan-

Advice to Stage Villain. "Don't go down to the scene of your crime in the last act," says Jerome K Jerome. "You always will do this. We suppose it is some extra cheap excursion down there that attracts you But you take our advice and don't you go. That is always where you get nabbed. The police know your habits from experience. They do not trouble to look for you. They go down in the last act to the old hall or the ruled last, act to the out and or the tuned mill, where you did the deed and wait for you. In also cases out of ten you would get off soot free but for this bilotic custom of yours."—London Standard.

Curable Case. The widow Gilroy had just told a friend of her engagement.

"But, my dear Margaret," said the friend, "you don't really mean to tell me that you intend marrying a man you've only known for three weeks?" "Oh, yes." replied the young widow

"I can easily overcome that objection in time. I hope to know him tolerably well after we have been married a cou-ple of years."-Philadelphia Record.

Poor Place to Fall Out. Through his megaphone one aviator choused to another: "Rise out of my level, or, by the

"All right, all right," shouted the other aristor, elevating his plane in-stanter. "We don't want to fall out here, do we?"—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Safety Matches.

"Did you know that there has been a sugenic marriage act in force in Sweden for years and years?" I don't believe it.

"Sure. They are the pioneers in the safety match business in that counter."-London Telegraph.

Vanity of Life. It would be difficult to rival the epi-taph of Cardinal Onuphrio which, in half a dozen words sums up the vanity of life-Here lies a shadow-ashes -nothing!" and that of Cardinal Magarin's beautiful piece. Marie Marciel. who, after draining the cup of worldly pleasure to the dregs, wrote, as she lay dying, her own epitaph, "Marie Mancini Dust and Ashes."

BIG PRIZE OF WAR

England is Moving to Capture Germany's World Trade.

Vaetness of Latter Country's Exports Demonstrates the Opportunity at Hand for Mahufacturers of Creat BHlain.

London.—Germany's rast world trade is one of the prices of war which' England is trying to capture. While' Great Billain's somy is Oghther the Prunsku militaty advance in Bolglous and the British and le objecting the halsel's watchille in the North sea, and with definitive confinence except from the occasio, those remaining beblad la Linkland are hillfalling a inurebient of greatest importance to capby hivading the world malkets to pro-ours for Great Billain a great increase. of the enith's commores.

The vastness of Cormany's exhibits domonstrates the opportunity which in at hand and shows that the United. Blates too, may profit commercially by the great war, it is obvious that. by the great war. It is obvious that, deriman commerce will be justalyzed for meny months, possibly for years, during which thine the far reaching for quirements of the whole world, little-site largely had by deriminy and Aunth, must still be med. It he world's wants heratefore dilled by thermany and Auntha and any he before a clied. the work must be done by others. Bur-

the work must be done by Others. England is already after her share.
The British involument to capture termany's trade is being taken up, with great vigor and the British current is girting its full official support. The board of trade, which in England is a government department. is doing everything possible, while, the colonial onice is gathering all:

available information from the dominions, as to the observoier of all minions, as to the contracter the change provious commerce, at the same time is a remained in a remaining the manuficiations and statishills importers of Corman products.

Angther apur to the British ambillon. to capture Corman trade is the fact; that was is exusing a loss to the Englight hinrhet from dontral Buropo and this deficit must be inside up elso-where. The most likely places are those where Cormany and Austria formerly predominated.

When England, shortly after the start of the war, began to investigate the alteration, agares were produced whach actounded the public. It, was shown that Germany's total exports were nearly \$2,500,000,000 annually. which was rather disconcerting tothose who had been inught to believe complacently that England was really the greatest manufacturing country in the world. It was also shown conclusively that England had been importlarge quantities of goods made in Gormany, oven such products as rould be manufactured in the United Kingdom,

One characteristic joit was a discorner of which the general public knew nothing, that Cormany experied twice as much cuttory as England, which herotofore had been held the world over to predominate in that

The government and the business mon are now entertaining the idea that Great Britain's loss of trade in central Europe due to the war canmore than be compensated by luranlone elsewhere, by cepturing world trade herotofore held by Germany.

Another thing that is being empha-stred is England's opportunity in China, particularly Kiauchau, which has the distinction of being Gormany's greatest colonial commercial center. The German toy trade, on which it has had almost a monopoly, is another field which England certainly will invade. It runs into many millions, England sions imports millions of dollars' worth of German tors.

Zeppeline a Great Factor.

T. R. MacMachen, president of the Aeronautical society, said in New York that the German dirigible balloons, especially the Zeppelins, would. a sti probability provo a deciding factor in the war. He said that Germany has 24 Zappelin airships, each capa-ble of lifting 40 tons, and with the regular fighting outfit each could so in the air with four and is half tone. of ammunition. With the accuracy with which serial torpedoes can be dropped on the commy's battleships. the torpedoes dropped from a Zeppelin would tear clean through any deal-

Bullet Wounds Not Painful. Paris.—Numbers of French wounded are being cared for in Paris hospitals It is frequently remarked among the men that their ballet wounds were not painful. In a large number of cases men who had been hit were not aware of the fact until after the engagement was over. One man declares that he did not know he had been burt until the following morning. He then discovered a tell had gone through his arm. The only ontward indications were two cark spots on the skin. such as might be made by a load jercil one on each ride of the arm

Proud of His Belgian Blood. Paris.-The Prince of Monaco sent the following telegram to King Alberton Belgium: "At a time when our East is being darkly meneced by home force I wish to say to you kew proud I am that Belgian blood is in my reins. King Albert replied to this communication in cordial tones.

Yest American Industries. Private capital invested in timber lends, milis, lorging relivosds, and other forms of equipment in this country reach an enormous algregate, and the lowber ichwery, which employs were 600 persons and has an annual output relued at one and one sixth billion for lers, is the third largest

POSTAGE STAMPS.

Anniances of Some of the World's Harost Issues.

THE "DEATH MASK" MYSTERY

Curious Case of the Service Starin lasued After the Murder of King Alexander and Queen Draga-The One Capt British Quiaria Stump of 1856.

Not a little of the fastinglish which the study and collecting of postage atmust holds for enthusiasts lies in the fact that the story of their origin and subsequent listory is in many cases of all exceedingly routautic charabtet.

The plugle known copy of the farest staled in the world, valued at \$10,000the one cent Biltish Gulana farued dit 1850-was discovered by a young collector in the colony among suine old tatelly papers stored away in an attle.
Knowing nothing of its scarcily and

and being theorably impressed by its appearance, he sold it to another collector for a trining add, the purchaser being also ignorant of his great bargalu, ditimately it tound its way to Burope and now reposes in the collection of M. Philippe de la Renotiere of Parly, who purchased it lanny years

The value of \$1/230 la placed upon the faulous "Postoffice Mauriffun" athing, which was crudely engraved on a small copper plate by a local watchmaker of Port Louis and Isaded on Sept. 21, 1817. A total of only 500 copies of each of these status were todiously firitted off one at it time Iroin the plate, and the majority of these were used on Invitations to a ball sent out by Lady Home, wife of the governor of the colony,

It was not thill hearly twenty years after their issue that the first two coples of these carities were brought to light by a young stamp collector of Bordeaux. The most parient weel copy of the 2d. Postoffice Maurillus was sold by anction in 1991, and is now included in King Guorge's collecílóß,

To the story of the watchmaker who designed this stomp may be added that of the baker's boy who engraved a states of the republic of Corrientes, now forming part of the Argentine federátion

In 1856 it was decided by the duthorities to issue stamps, but they could find no engraver to ent the die or prepare the plates. White one of the officials was discussing the aftita-tion with the head of the state printing office on his veranda one morning a baker's boy arrived with the daily supply of bread and, overhearing the conversation, volunteered to undertake the work, stating that before emigrat-ing to South America he had been ap-

prenticed to an engraver in Italy.
Ultimately the boy was given the work to do, and he turned out a stamp which, although crude, served for all the postage stamps issued in Corrien-tes from 1855 to 1880.

Probably few people are aware of the fact, by the way, that King George of Britain (then Prince of Wales) was responsible for the design of the 1903 postage stamps of Canada, universally posings stands of the most artistic atamps of the last reign. About the time of the late king's coronation the postmaster general of Canada, then on a visit to England, took the opportunity of consulting his royal highness on the subject of the proposed new issue of postage stamps for the Dominion.

The prince at once took the keenest interest in the work, designed the stamp in conjunction with a member of the Royal Philatelic society and superintended the preparation of the 'master die" in England. The Edward ian stamps of Canada can therefore lay claim to the distinction of being designed by a king.

A stamp around which centers one

of the foulest political crimes of modern history is the so called "death mask stamp" of Servia, issued in 1904 to commemorate the accession of King Peter I. The dastardly assassination of King Alexander and his queen, Draga, by military officers on June 11, 1903. wiped out the Obrenovitch dynasty from the throne of Servis and paved

the way for the present king.

After the tragedy one of the most famous of French stamp engravers was commissioned to prepare a stamp from a design by a Servian artist. showing on a single plaque the twin profiles of Kara George, the founder of the dynasty which bears his name, and King Peter, his descendant.

The stamps were issued at the time of King Peter's coronation, in 1904, and hardly had they got into circula-tion when it was discovered that the "death mask" of the late King Alexander had been stillfully and subtly introduced into the design and, on the stamp being inverted, could be plainty traced in the reversed features of the two heads.

This discovery at once caused an outcry, the strategent being ascribed to ex-Queen Nathalie, mother of the mur Reced king, and her supporters, but all countrance in the plot was indiguantly repodiated by the enerates and the misters of this extraordinary publicating has never been satisfactorily chared un-London Strand

No good book or good thing of any

Young Men for Artion. Young men are drop to invest than to fulfa: fitter for execution than for CC02461-F0302

but there must be some the-Lyb.

In the American Northwest, computating the States of North and Bouth. Dakota, Minhesota, Montana, Idaho, Washington and Oregoo, there were, when the last Genesia was taken, 73,593 persons of New England Dirth, which was 1.7 cer cent of the entire native population of New England in the population, or 1.5 cer cent, Morth Jakota had 3,559 New Englanders, which was 0.8 per cent, of the native born population, or 1.5 cer cent, North Jakota had 3,559 New Englanders, which was 0.8 per cent, of the native born population; Bouth Dakota 4,261, or 0.9 per cent, Montana 0,012, or 2.1 per cent, and Oregon, 9,692, or 1.8 per cent, washington had the highest proportion of New Englanders, baving 22,770 out of a total native population of 825,749, 2.6 per cent. In some of the other Washington Hadden had 8,279, or 1.2 per cent.

In some of the other Washington Hadden had 1,590, or 1.8 per cent, of the failier born population, Massachusetts alone contiluting 1.6 per cent, Nevala had 1,590 New Englanders, or 2.9 per cent, Y Youlng, 2,110, or 1 8 per cent, 1,423, or 0.7 per cent, and Missoul, 10,310, or 9,3 per cent, in view of the foregoing facts an article from The Ballman, of Minneapolls, on a New England institution, The New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, may be of Interest. It is sefoliows:

"For a jong time the management of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, may be of interest. It

York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, may be of Interest. It
is as follows:
"Yor a long time the management of
the New York, New Haven and Hartford Halfroad has been the target for
miscellaneous abuse. Crudging admissions that the present officials were doing their best to straighten out the
road's finances and improve its service
have had little effect in altering the
outle attitude; and it suffices to spank
the words "business mismanagement"
for some one to cap the expression with
the imms of this III-fated railroad.

"Nobody wants to condone past crors
and infedencesions, and it is well that
so much light has been cast on the
methicus of the New Haven directorate
in the years between 1991 and 1912.
But, affer all, these are infinantly perment interest, lying between the stocklighter and the ment they have elected.
If the stockholders choose to bring suit,
that is their affert. If the federal govemment finds that certain individuals
were guilty of conspiracy in restraint
of commorce, it is perfectly justified in
punishing these individuals.

"The obttorness, however, ought absolutely to stop here. It is a calumity
for New England, for railroads throughout the country, and for the people
they sarve, that agitators will not lot
the slate be wiped clean, so as to give
the Ney Haven a fair chance. Let the
men who made froule suffer for it in
need be, but let the railroad, an enormona organization absolutely eccessary
to the wolfare of millions of people,
stand squarely on what it is doing today.

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"Difficult as it is to wine out a strong prejudice, this is exactly what the public must do. It must alop citing the New Haven as an instance of faulty and, perhaps, criminal management. It must learn to distinguish between the combine on longer in control, were re-

It must learn to distinguish between the men who, no longer in control, were resconsible for the road's treubles, and the road itself as it now exists.

"Probably no honest altempt to reorganize and set right a great industry has known worse luck than the efforts of the present directors of the New Haven road. The full report of the road's operations for the year ending June 29, 1914, is now at hand, a follo volume of one hundred and cloven pages. Its arrays of figures cover a pathetic and rather tragle story of brave, conscientions effort against terrible odds.

"Part of this story is told in a single sentence: The general business de-

rible odds.

"Part of this story is told in a single sentence: The general business depression during the greater part of the fiscal year caused a decrease in the operating revenue of \$1,905,810.26, while operating expenses increased \$1,238,010.84, resulting in a decrease in net operating revenue of \$3,238,821.10." "Two sets of figures, simply included in the road's statement of its income account, represent another phase of this earnest attempt to do good work against overwhelming handicaps. The expense of maintenance of way structures' increased over 1918 by \$337,874.-14; that of maintenance of equipment' increased by \$783,780.54.

"The report is full of figures which, when translated into terms of effort and hard work, tell the same story. New England, partly from fright and partly from actual conditions, suffered financially more than any other section of the country from the changes immediately precoding the outbreak of the wer.

"Under guch circumstances, it is ab-

war.

"Under such circumstances, it is absolutely necessary that: the public should lay aside its prejudice against this railroad, and should give its officials full credit for what they have done and are doing. Whatever price the public way to pay does and are doing. Whatever price individuals may be called upon to pay for their past errors, the road itself should be allowed to face its present task with a record wiped clean.

When Jimmy Was Landed.

Recently in a suburban town there was a modern wedding, with the canopy over the sidewalk, caterer from the city, and all that sort of thing, and after it was over the bride and her maid of boors stood temporarily alone. "I am so glad it is over!" excitedly cried the pretty bride. "Did I look all right, Marie!" "Yes, dear," answered Marie, perhaps a little sighfully. "You looked simply and exeruciating splendid." "I'm so glad," mornured the bride. "For a moment I thought I would faint. Did I appear to be very nervous!"
"Just a little at first, dear," restooded Marie, "but you seemed to be all right as soon as Jimmy pronounced the words "I do.'"—Philadelphia Telegraph.

"I met Jones on the steamer; he was going abroad for a trip." "Jones, eh? I remember that man when he didn't know where his next real was coming from."

waen ne cidn't know where his next meal was coming from."
"Well, it was just the opposite when I saw him on the steamer—he didn't know where his last meal was going know where his last meal was

Roland Frinzi, the "rum king of Jamaica" asked how he had won his file, replied: "I have manufactured nice, replied: "I have manufactured and sold \$20,000,000 worth of rum since I went into the business, and I guess that is why they call me 'king.' I might add that I have never tasted a larg."

Smoke and Fire.

There can be no great another with there must be some free—Lyb.

Bix—I see there's are port from Holical that concrete bases for German cannon have been found there.

Dix—Point behave a word you hear from Holland. The geography says it is a low. Wing country.

Pull Play for the New Haven, | Price of Peace if Germany Loses, A PROPHECY BY AN ENGLISH PHLYY

COUNCILOR. FRANCE'S SURE DEMANDS.

Dismemberment of German and Astro-Hungarian Empires, Loss of Germany's Colonies, and Reduction of Her Piect Predicted by a Writer in the December Century.

From "If Germany Loses" in the Becember

Whether Germany will are for prace before the invading armies actually reach Berlin is of little importance. What is important is that before the German armies are entirely routed, internal political conditions will compell them to demand an ignominious peace. And what will be the price of this peace?

When Germany brought France to her kneed in 1870 they secured as the price of peace a war indemnity of 2200,000,000 and the secession of the provinces of Alsace and Lorraine.

In their turn the victorious armies will demand a war indemnity not so large as they might wish, because of the necessity for preserving Germany from going into bankruptey, but still heavy enough to cripple the fatherland for years, and, more important still, will insist on huge territorial adjustments, everything being done to remove artificial frontiers between kindred races.

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It is a foregone conclusion that Alsace-Lorraine, which has always been
a thorn in the side of Germany and
a source of weakness to hor, will be
restored to France.

The whole of the budding colonial
empire of Germany will disappear. I
hope we shall not take any of her
colonies, for we have enough and to
spare already, and in any case Germany's oversea possessions are not
of much account. Possibly we may
consent to them being parceled out
equally between Russia and France,
contenting ourselves with Togoland,
and passing Kiao chau over to Japan.
France certainly will insist on having restored to her the slice taken
from the French Congo. Denmark,
in recognition of her good behavior
during the war, may domand, and
with every hope of success, the restoration of Schleswig-Holstein. What
Beigium s reward may be is impossible to say. Possibly a monetary
one. There is nothing territorially
that can be offered this tight little
kingdom, for in all these frontier adjustments one has to have regard for
the sentiment and race origin of the
people whose land it is proposed to
divort. Beigium would never ask to
be loaded with such a thankless gift
as a German province that might be
a canker to her, as Alsace-Lorraine
has been to Germany. Servis, who
should have taken Bosnia-Herzegovina
from Austria, will be given authority
to retain what is her's by right unchallenged.

to retain what is hers by right unchallenged.

I am prophesying Italy will be strong enough to withstand the bullying of the other two members of the Triple Alliance. If she does, her roward will be the restoration of the Italia Irredenta, that little triangle, with Triest at the extreme left-hand corner and Fiume at the extreme right-hand corner, which formed part of the old Venetian republic, and was filched from her by the Hapshurgs.

For other Balkan states whese conduct has been boyed repreach there will also be territorial rowards. Turkoy stands to lose most. If she controls her ambittons, all will be well with her. If she elects to make trouble during the war, the powers of the Triple Entented the controls and the state of the firmed war, the powers of the Triple Entented and the firmed war, the powers of the Triple Entented and the firmed war the powers of the Triple Entented and the firmed war.

war, the powers of the Triple Entente may decide, for the sake of the future peace of Europe, to expel her cutively from Europe. With some reason Rusnence of Europe, to expel her cultraly from Europe. With some reason Rustala then might ask for the reward she has already coveted. Constantinople. Probably the arrangement that would be made would be to join the remainder of the Turkish European empire to some Slav state in sympathy with Russis, so that even if Russia did not actually get Constantinople, she would be the commanding influence there. The absorption of all Poland into the Muscoyite empire is certain.

tion of all Polana into the Intervite empire is certain.

Roumania would be teritorially enriched at the expense of Austria, in accordance with the line of race, and the powers might decide to end the comicopera business of the Albanian monarchy by passing her on to one of the Balkan states.

Balkan states.

Generally the effect of crushing defeat of Germany and Austria-Hungary will be to reduce considerably the boundaries of the two empires. How far Germany will suffer will depend largely on internal conditions and her ability the bargain. Whatever else happens, however, the loss of her colonies and Alsace-Lorraine are certain. Equally, cortain is the loss to Austria and Herzegovinn, and almost as certain the loss of the and almost as certain the loss of Italia Irredenta.

Talk That Counts.

Ephum Johnson was up before Judgo Shimmerpate on a cruelty to animals

charge.
'' Deed Ah wasn't abusin' dat mulo, judge, the old man demurred.
"Did you strike it repeatedly with a club?

.. Үавзан."

"Yassah."

"And do you not know that you can accomplish more with animals by speaking to them!"

"Yassah; but dis critter am diffint. He am so deef he cain't heah me when Ah speaks to him in de usual way, so Ah has to communicate wid him in do sign language."—Youngstown Telegram.

What a Shilling Would Do.

A young woman with a party of A young women with a party and Americans going through the parks and gardens of Warwick Castle, Eng., ling-ered behind to admire the gorgeous pea-

cocks.
"Do those birds ever drop any of their tail feathers," she asked of a gardener who stood by.

He looked around, lowered his voice and replied:

and replied:
"They're hobstinate beasts, miss, but
they drops'em heasy at the sight of a
shillin'."—The Argonaut.

Dorothy-Mother, when I get married shall I bave a husband like papa?
Mother-Certainly, my dear.
Dorothy-And II stay single shall I be an old maid like Aunt Anne?
Mother-I think you will.
Dorothy (with a deep sigh)-Well I am in a fix-Boston Transcript.

"The school teacher is interested in you, dad."
"How's that?"
"Why, to-day, after she'd told me six times to sit down and behave myself, she said she wondered what kind of a father I had."—Philadelphia Led-

King Allouso's Outing....

King Alfomo is fond of taking motor trips incognito. He motored once through a wild region of Castile, and put up at a modest ion.
"I am sure,' he said, "that they won't know me here"!"
Well, they did not know him there. They treated him like an ordinary traveler. So much so that when he went to shave the next morning he found there was no mirror in his room. So he went into the inn yard in his slirt sleeves and there a chambermaid brought him a broken piece of mirror which he set up beside the well.

The girl stood chatting with him. Finally she said:
"You are not just an ordinary traveller, are you?
"Why do you ask me that?"
"I don't know,' said the maid; "but there's something about you—pehapar you belong to the Hoyal Court at Madrid!"
"Yes, I do," he answered.

urid? "Yes, I do." he answered.
"Perhaus you work for His Majesty
himself!"
"Yes I do."
"And answered.

"Yes I do."
And what do you do for him?"
saked the chambermaid.
"On lots of things," the King replied. "I'm shaving him just now."

"So It Is."

A colored man who had ambition to own a watch but could not read time from one, purchased a dollar watch recently, attached it to a stray and hung it from his coat lapel, puting the watch in the top pocket of his coat.

Sauntaring along he met another colored man who likewise aspired to own a watch, but could not tell time either. The following conversation ensued:

cither. The following ensued:
"What you all got there Bill?"
asked the colored man who met the "What you an got there bill asked the colored man who met the owner of the watch.
"Got a watch," said Bill.
"Can you tell me the time?" asked the friend.
"Find out you self." said Bill.

the pulled out his watch and showed it face up to his friend, who looked at it, stared a moment and then

replied;
"So it is, so it is," and walked away.—Washington Star.

Benuty of Obedience.

Papa and mamma were seated in the parly one evening when little Gladys gently rumbled in. Papa was busy perusing his evening paper.

"Mamma," began the little girl, "may I speak to you a moment—"

"Gladys," reprovingly broke in her mether; 'how many times have I told you that your father must not be intorrupted while he is reading? As soon as he has finished we will listen to you."

Eventually father laid aside the paper, and then mother smilling turned to her little daughter.

"Now then, Gladys," she gently suid, "we will listen to what you wish to say."

"I just wanted to tell you, mamma," meekly repiled the little girl, "that the water is running all over the top of the tub in the bathroom."—Philadelphin Telegraph.

Cetting in Line.

The late Cy Warner, who descried rallway literature for a real rallway job in Montreal, told this story at a luncheon not long ago before his

"A Scotchman came upon an auto-mobile overlurned at a railway cross-ing. Beside it lay a man all amashed

up.
"Get a doctor," he mouned.
"'Did the train hit you?' asked the Scotchman,
'! Yes, yes; get a doctor,
'Has the claim agent been here

"No, no; please get a doctor."
"Mova over, 'you,' said the Scot,
'till I lie down beside you." "Detroit

Resistance by Air.
The effects of air resistance are well shown in the twelve and a haif miles Simplen tunnel, where an exception-ally high amount of energy is required for running the electric trains. The tunnel, which is fifteen feet wide and eighteen feet high, with a sectional area of 200 square feet, has a ventiarea of 250 square leet, has a contract the lating current of 8,630 foot cubic of air per second, maintained by two large blast fans at the Brigue end and two exhaust fans at lacile. Trains going with this current encounter less resistance than in open air up to fifteen and a half miles an hour, but at higher speeds or in the opposite direction the resistance is much g side. Moving by gravity down the seven per one thousand maximum gra-dient, a train, even though going with the current, cannot exceed thirty-five miles an hour on account of the braking by the air.

Impertinence of Gentue. Dr. Johnson once called upon David Garrick in London and was shown into his study. Unfortunately, a door being open, he strayed into an adjoining room, which contained the novels and lighter works which had been proseried as tributes to the highly admired actor. Johnson first read a tilt from one and then another and threw them down, strawing the floor with the expensive volumes. Garrick was angry at finding Johnson there and saki, "This is a private calinet, and no

company is admitted here."
"But." said Johnson, with impertinent coolness, "I was determined to examine your valuables, which I find consist of three sorts-stuff, trash and nonsenso."

Origin of a Word. Few words have so remarkable a history as the word "bankrupt." The money lenders of Genoa, Venice and Florence had benches or stalls in the bourse, or exchange, in former times. At these benches they conducted their When any of them became insolvent his bench or bank was broken, because he had no further use for it, and the name banks ratts, or broken bench, was given to him. When the word first came into use in England it was nearer the Italian than it now is, being "hankerout" instead of

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

and the state of the

"That rich Mr. Smith is going to build a home that will cost \$3,000,000." "That looks as if the plumbing was included."—Cleveland I'lain Dealer

"I got this cup for running."
"Whola heat?"
"The owner and six policemen."—
Harvard Lampson.

His Fiances - Tell me, Count, why do you always kles my left hand?
The Count-You are left-handed, are

you not?
His Finacce-Yes.
The Count-Then that is ze hand with which you sign zo whecks, is it not?--Puck.

It is possible to entertain an angel unaware, but never a born,

"Bliggina docun't got on." "No. He insists on figuring on the high cost of living instead of an how to got the price." - Washington Star.

She-I told na you wanted to see him the next time you called. Ifo-What did he say? She-Hie said for you to come on; he wasn tafraid of you.

Slip-What is the word for choese in French? Slap - Fromage. Slip - Why do they call it that? Slap - From age, I suppose.

"You are getting very bald, sir,"

"You are getting very baid, sir," said the harbor.
"You, yourself," retoried the customer, "are not free from a number of defects that I could mention if I cared to become personal,"—f.ouisville Courter-Journal.
"Dearest," he said, "can't I get you a nice diamond ring, for Christmas?"
"No, darling," whispered the farseeing young thing, "I will take the ring now. Lot Christmas bring its happy surprises, just as usual."—Livingston Lance.

"It believe but the motto. "Never put

"I believe in the motto, 'Never put off till tomorrow what you can do to-day.'"

day."
Pay me that \$5 then."
"The rule doesn't apply; that's semething i can't do today."

Uncle Ezra - Do you think the now Uncle Ezra-Do you think the now dances show that people are becoming more immoral? Uncly Eben-Wal, I dunno, but since the summers boarders introduced them here we old that a single old fashioned kissing game.

"What's yeal, Benny?"
"Oh, it's the part of the cow we cat before she grows up."—Secred Heart Review.

"I hear that llogers has met with re-verses since his marriage?"
"One reverse, anyway. He married his stengerspher and new instead of his dictating to her, she dictates to him."

- lieston Transcript. Dr. Pillem-Are you going to call a consultation? Dr. Bolus-I think not. consultation? Dr. Bolus—I think not. I don't believe the patient has any more money than I need myself,—Boston Transcript.

"Your daughter plays some very re-bust pleces." "Sho's get a beau in the parior," growled Pa Womba, "and that loud music is to drown the sound of her mather washing the dishes."—Pitts-burgh Post

Old King Cole was a morry old soul, And laughed till he burst his clothes, When he saw thathings

That are done by kings
In some of the movie shows.
—Green Book Magazine. "Do you niways acknowledge it

when you know you are wrong?"
"No; only when other people know it."—Boston Transcript.

The Old 'Un-Pluck, my boy, pluck' first and last; that is the one assential success in business.

The Young 'Un-Oh, of course, I quite understand that. The trouble is incling someone to pluck.—Cuban Times.

Naggaby—What impresses you most in this European war?
Waggaby—The carclessness of Franco and England in building their capitals so closs to where Emperor William seems to want his battle line placed.—Chicago Post.

"I understand the bride and groom are back from their wedding trip," "Yes."

"Are they all settled?"
"Yes."

"And happy?"
"Yory. She can hardly wait for his first pay day to come."—Dettoit Free

"How did they got into the scrap?"
"Trying to preserve their neutrality."—Detroit News. "Somebody stole three sets of har-ness out of my stable."
"Did the thief leave any traces?"
"No, he took traces and all."

The new boy in the school was being examined in geography. "What kind of mountains are there in South America?" he was asked.
"High," he replied.—Judge.

Her Father (sternly)—Young man, can you support my daughter in the styleshe's been accustomed to?"

Lover (briskly)—I can, but I'd be ashamed to."—Life,

Ethel-I do so love football.

Betty-I don't. I detest it. Jack's gone and get his collarbone broken and I can't put my head on his shoulder for a month. der for a month,

She-George, is that one of those cigars I gave you on your birthday? He-No; I'm saving them for my friends.
She-You dear, soif-sacrificing, unselfish man.

The schoolboy turns unto his task
As wisdom's way he learns to ream,
And finds some questions new to ask
His patient dad,
when he gets home.
—Washington Star.

Drs. Smith and Jinks are going to operate on Hawkins.
"Necessary?"
"Yes. Dr. Jinks wants a new car and Dr. Smith has a heavy bill coming due."—London Opinion.

due."—London Opinion.

MRS. Wararow's hoovering Strice has been med by millions of molbers for their children while I children while I children is the children while I children is did to the children while I children is described an broken of your rest by a sick child aufortin and crising with pain of Cutting Teeth send at once and gat a bottle of "Mrs. Winstow's Southing Syrup" for Children Teething, It will relieve the poor little aufarer immediately. Been dupon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It mires Diarchee, regulately, been dupon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It mires Diarchee, regulately, between the Guma, reduces Inflammation, and streatone and diersy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winstow's Boothing Syrup for children leething is pleasant to the laste and best femals physicians and the cental policy and the contains a bottle. Sold by all drugthes throughout the world. He sure and sake for "Mas. With a tow's Bootstian Struct," Guaranteel inder the Food and Bruga Act, June 20th, 100 Berlat number 100.

An Endowed Flagstaff.
What is thought to be the only end dowed figurant in the world is that i.e. longing to the Royal Asylum For the Deaf and Dumb at Margato, England, This staff was creeted in the first year of the reign of King Edward VII. In communication of his accession to the throne. The cost was defrayed by the pupils and friends, and the collection taken was so large that it enabled the

purchase of twenty flags. purchase or twenty nage.

Even when the staff and the flags had been path for £40 remained in the treasury. This sum was invested for an endowneent fund, and the interest is used every other year for painting and repairing the pole and tackle.

Bome of the various flags bought are the royal standard, which is flown on the king's accession day, his birth-day and his coronation day; the stars and siripes, run up on the president's dreaday and election day; the French day, used on the president's birthday; appropriate banners for St. David's, St. Patrick's and St. George's days; the union jack for the anniversaries of famous battles, and fings for the church's bigh festivals.-Now York Tribune.

Australian Pearls.

Pearls found on the coast of Australia are of many shapes and colors. Those under ten grains are sold by the conce, above that by the grain. Color has a deal to do with the value. The white pearls go mostly to Europe and the reliew ones to India. In Australla an ounce of good white pearls will fetch up to \$500, but sometimes realizes only a fifth of that amount the yellow pearls may be rated on an average at about half the value of the white ones. The seed pearls used for cheap jewelry can be had for \$5 per cunco and discolored pearls for 7s. 6d., but if the discoloration is peculiar the value is sometimes enhanced. For the low class of seed pearls there is a constant demand among oriental physi-claus and apothecaries, who, grind them late a powder and administer it to putlents as a cure for many ills.

Tinted Specs For Artificial Light. For viewing objects illuminated by artificial light when it is desired to see such objects exactly as they would appear in daylight, H. E. Ives, the English physicist, suggests colored glass spectacies. The glass would be covered with a collodion or gelatin surface. stained with aniline dyes carefully solected to filter out the light rays pecu-liar to artificial light. For each kind of the latter a special formula would have to be followed in preparing the speciacles. These speciacles would be useful in many industries, as, for ex-ample, the making of artificial tech, where color has to be most accurately matched. They might also be lent to visitors at picture galleries by night or on dark days, when artificial plumingtion is employed, in order to insure the most favorable view of the bectures. Now York World.

I am the skeleton in every nation's closet. I lide myself in the dark recesses behind the silent uniforms swaring in the dark. While the guests make merry and the householders ply them with vinues at the friendly hourd

I bid my time.
But when the alarms sound and the guests go out to kill then I start forth in the gray shadows of early morning. With my thin wand I touch the corn-

fields and watch them wither.
And as the sun shines on hattiefields my day of triumph comes. No longer afraid to show my hollow face, I stalk through village and city, laying my rattling hands on mother and wite

and babe. My comrade, War, true to his eter-nal promise, has given me the entry to all societies.—Life.

Brilliant Venue.

When she is at her brightest Venus is so bright that if you knew where in the sky to look for her you could costly see her in the daytime, and at night she sheds so much light that where other lighting is excluded she will cast a plain shadow. She is about five times as bright as Jupiter ever gots, ten times as bright as Sirius, the largest of the fixed stars, and a hundred times, as bright as the ordinary first magnitude stars. Her reign is, however, short, for, as she makes three revolutions to the earth's two, she rapidly passes us and

begins to fade away.

Keaps Down Malaria. A very small fish known as "million" is said to keep the island of Barbados free from malaria by eating the fever carrying mosquito in the early stages of its development. Thousands of these fishes are being taken to South Africa in the effort to stamp out malaria there.

Very Different. Mabel-They say you turned down Mr. Tightguyo just because be asked

you how much you could run a house on. Maude—No. He asked me bow life tio I could run one on.-Puck. Nearly Gone "How is Wasserby's credit in town?" "It must be very low by this time.

When I was here three years ago he was giving it oxygen."-Birmingham Age-Herald.

In the Same Boat. As a general thing, when a young man is unable to give a girl all the luxuries to which she feels entitled he is in the same boat with her Cather,

-Galveston News. Shifting the Blame.

Annie-Do you like his dancing? Fannie-Yes; but I wish he wouldn't tread on my toes so often! Annie-

Toaste. Willie-Paw, why is an after dinner speech called a toast? Paw-Because

it is usually so dry, toy son .- Cincinnau Knaufrer. Ohildren Cry

FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Historical and Genealouical

Notes and Queries.

this town, who with others was in that part of the building which extended Eastward from the Main building, and endeavoring to save the furniture, was burnt with the house, all but Mr. Gardner making their escape. The lower part of this projection was used as the dining room, the ceiling of which was supported from the roof by iron rods, and when the roof which first caught gave way, all the upper part of the house came down with a sudden crash into the ceiler, burying Mr. Gardner in the ruins. The boarders were mostly accommodated for the romainder of the season in the other Boarding houses, and in private families. In November, 1815 the new building to replace the Ocean House which was burnt down, was raised and finished during the Winter and Spring. It is much larger than the old house and sat present pretty well filled with boarders.

In the summer of 1815, Edward Clarke, the owner of land on the hill and also at the South End of the town, opened a Street through Mr. Bland from Spring Street to Thames Street, which he called Dearborn Street; and a Street running South from Catherine Street to the road to the Beach which leads from Mill Street, which he mambed Cottage Street; which Street is a little East of a road which is now shut up and formerly run Southerly from Catherine Street to the head of Redwood Street just North of the Redwood Library, and Redwood Street is laid out in house lots, and a few of them are sold.

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BATURDAY, NOTEMBER 28, 1916.

Rhode Island Chronology, by John Barber, Esq. Taken from manuscript of Dr. Renry E. Turner, now in possession of the Newport Historical Society.—E. M. T. Continued.

(To be continued.)

Quertes.

8014. LOWDEN,—A Richard Lowden was born in Charlestown, Mass, 1721 April 11, of James & Ann (Cutler) Lowden. There was only one other Richard, born 1709, Feb. 10, (a cousin of the above Richard) at Boston of Joseph & Hennah (Miller) Lowden. Which Richard was of Newport!—L. M.

8015. Woodman.—Who was—Woodman, supposed to have been a printer in Newport!—G. P. W.

8016. WORTH.—Benjamin Worth, Vassalboro, Me. minister in the Society of Friends. Daughter Rachel, Born 1792. What was the malden name of Benjamin's wife and the dates of his birth and death, also was he descended from John and Miriam, (Gardner) Worth, and his line of descent. John, born 1686. Miriam, born 1665.—M. S. A.

S017. Howand, Moses—Who were the ancestors of Moses Howard, whose widow Rachel was administratrix on his estate, Jan. 7, 1754?—T. M.

8018. TABER EBENEZER—Who were the ancestors of Ebenezer Taber, of Tiverton, yeoman, dec. Oct. 12, 1772, and whose inventory of personal estate was exhibited by Joseph and Jacob Taber?—B. T. T.

2019. WHEDON, WHIDDEN, EDGER-LY-Wanted parents of Jane Whedon (or Whidden), who Dec. 3, 1691, nar-ried Thomas Edgerly, of Oyster River, N. H.—G. D. E.

Si20. Kenniston. Shaw-Wanted parents of Hannah Kenniston, born 1782-40, who married Hilliand Shaw, of Hampton, N. H., Feb. 15, 1731-2, -E. H. M.

or pr. menty r. Turner, now in poscession of the Newport Historical Soclety.—E. M. T. Continued.

1777. Marchant, Henry appointed
Delegate to Congress in Febr'y.

1778. Maxson, Rov'd John Sabbaterian Minister Mar. 2.

1779. Mott, Jacob, Quaker Preacher
Grandfather of Gen. Greene, died at
Portsmouth Jan. 24, age Si yrs.

1780. MERCURY, The publication of
the Newport, resumed Jan'ry by Henry
Barber (Suspended Dec. 2, 1776.)

1781. Malbone, Evan, died May age
71 at Norwall, Conn.

1785. Malbone, Francis Sen. came to
R. I. from P. A. Co. Virginia about
1755. Malbone, Francis Sen. came to
R. I. from P. A. Co. Virginia about
1755. Was a Shipmaster in the employ of
Godfrey Malbone, afterwards one of
firm E. & F. Malbone, died Jan. 1,
1785. in his Seth year. 2 sons, 3 daughters. (Sons were Francis, Saunders.)
1785. Malbone, Col. Godfrey Jun.
eldest son of Godfrey Malbone, was
educated at Queen's College, Oxford,
returned to R. Island 1744. Appointed
Col. of a Regiment of 400 men who
were drafted and ordered to Albany
but returned without having reached
their destination, the Enemy having retreated; until Rev. War, was a parther with his brother John in Newport,
then went to Pomfret, where he died
without issue, Nov. 12, 1735, aged 59
years. Born Sep. 3, 1724.

1791. Manning, Rev'd James, President of Prov. College, died at Prov.
July 29, ago 53 yr's. First President
1765.

Nedusa French Frigate, ar.
Newp. June 2nd. having on board Citizen Adet, French Minister to U. S. and
Suita.

1795. Medusa Sailed, Sept. 4th and
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Suita.

1795. Medusa Sailed, Sept. 4th and escaped the Brit Cruisers in (a fight.)
1795. Mawdsley, John Esq. Merchant died Febr'y age 73 at Newp.
1895. Marchant, Wm. Glerk H. R. also in 1795, 97, 98.
1796. Marchant, Hon. Henry Dis't Judge, died Aug. 30, age 55 Newp.
1797. Mason, Daniel Esq. Merch. Newp. died Sept. 24, age 42 yr's.
1798. Morris, Governeur, late Min'r to France, ar. Oct. 31 from Hamburg at Newp.

S, age 61 yr's.

1789. Mintum, Capt. Wm. Merch't
of N. York died at Newp. Aug. 23.

183) Malignant Ferer prevailed in
Provi and also in Newp. supposed to
have been brought to Newport, by Frig-

ate Gen. Greene.

1901. Mason, Doc't Benj. died Sept.
11, age 40 yr's.
1901. Minas, Abraham died age 23,
thown from a Carriage.
1802. MacRae, Major, & Capt. Stod-

dard ordered away. 1803. Masonic Hall, Newp. dedi-

cated Feb. 22.
1803. Mumford, Paul, L't. Gov'r yice Potter, elected U. S. Senator.
1804. Mumford, Paul, L't. Gov'r.

New Port Items of Interest—Among some papers of Benjamin B. Howland, Town Clerk of New Port for many years, are the following noices of interest to New Porters. These papers of Mr. Howland are now in possession of the New Port Historical Society.—R. M. T.—Continued.

New Port Notes made in 1846 by Benjamin B. Howland —Continued.

In 1846. The Rev. Thomas Leaver, who for Yor S years had been the Pastor of the Second Baptist Church in New Port, resigned his pastural office, since which they have had no Pastor, and at this time they are in a divided Etate, growing out of the fact that Mr. Leaver took a strong stand in favor of law and order in the recent troubles in our State.

At the yearly meeting of Friends at New Port in June, 1815, a secession took place, the cause of the disaffection according to the words of a Friend in a communication in the New Port MERCURY "is to be found in a spirit of disaffection and desire for individual liberty, that is not willing to submit to the necessary subordination recognized in the discipline which has ever been found to be essential to the welfare and preservation of the Society." The Separation took place on the 16th of June, when a number of individuals refusing to submit to the Decision of the receing in a case in which they were interested, proceeded to appoint clerks June, when a number of individuals refusing to subnit to the Decision of the
meeting in a case in which they were
interested, proceeded to appoint clerks
and to organize an association which
they insist is the yearly meeting of
Friends, adhering to the old principles
and claimed the meeting house; but
not obtaining possession they next day
adjourned to the late Doct. Patten's
Meeting house in Clarke Street, where
they continued their meetings through
the week. The main body of the
Friends, who retain their place of worship, are called Gurneyites, the sereeders are termed Wilbourites, after
Joseph John Gurney of England, and
John Wilbour of Hopkinton, Rhode Island. In June, 1845, both bodies held
their yearly meeting in Newport, the
Gurneyites at the Friends meeting
House and the others in Clarke Street
Caurch.

In the menth of May, 1845, Miss Re-

House and the others in Clarke Street Church.

In the month of May, 1845, Miss Rebecta Coe, of Newport, hired the Anthony V, Taylor Estate, in High Street, in Newport, and opened a Boarding School or Seminary for Young Ladies. She has this year purchased the Phinney Estate in Thames Street, where the Seminary is now kept.

August 3, 1845, the Ocean House burnt to the ground. The fire commenced in the cook house, about one ockock P. M., which for want of water and means immediately at hand to take the building down, soon communicated to the Main building, or the projection from the Main building, and the whole establishment was consumed in about two hours. Samuel Fowles Gardner of

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TENRY H. SWINBUNE, Administrator de bou

TOWN OF NEW SHOREHAM.

Notice of Application Liquor License.

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liquors, at retail only, by the following named person:
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The Town Council of said New Shoreham will be in session at the Town Hail in said lown on MONDAN, the 7th day of December, A. D. 1811, at 1 o'clook p. m. at which it ima and place all persons objecting to the granting of the above. application may be beard. All remonstrances must be filed on or before the lime of hearing.

By order of the Town Council of New Shoreham.

EDWARD P. CHAMPLIN.

EDWARD P. CHAMPLIN, 11-21-3w Clerk

Probate Court of the City of Newport November 20th, 1914., Estate of Margaret Moran.

Estate of Margaret Moran.

An INSTRUMENT in writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Margaret Moran, late of sail Newport, deceased, is presented for probate, and the same is received and referred to the seventh-day of December next, after o'clock a.m., at the Froenier next, and it to order to had not retained to the form of the f

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